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DIVISION WILL HALT GROWTH OF INDUSTRY

Bottling Up Oakland Against Future Industrial Expansion, Costly Complications Are Certain Under Scheme

Alameda County Anti-Division League Issues Statement Giving Reasons Why Splitting Up Is a Menace

County division, the bottling up of Oakland against any future industrial expansion and the bringing about of many costly complications are certain under the plans of the proponents of a separated city and county, says a statement issued today by the Alameda County Anti-Division League. The league cites the reasons why the splitting up of the county should be opposed, and shows that out of the 38,085 acres in Oakland, Piedmont and Emeryville, 21,110 acres are hill land and that the plan to divide a city and county of Oakland would offer room for expansion for years to come are not well founded.

The league is being represented by delegations from chambers of commerce, improvement clubs and other organizations in all parts of the county. These delegations will have charge of the committee on the localities and to co-operate with the league in the wider field. A number of these delegations have been named by their clubs and others will be chosen shortly.

DIVISION OF COUNTY

The statement of the Anti-Division League follows:
"County division now squarely faces the voters of Alameda county. The issue at the next election, when the entire county will be permitted to vote, will be 'Shall Oakland separate from the remainder of the county?'"

That, in a situation would ultimately result, and that this was the purpose of certain of its sponsors, has been the contention of the opponents of the present movement from its inception. Division will kill all chances of Oakland's future expansion.

The constitutional amendment (the enabling act) under which the freholders are proceeding provides only for the federation of cities located in the same county. County division, such as here proposed, prevents future expansion of the city and permanently bottle up Oakland—will build a Chinese wall around this community.

WOULD NECESSITATE CROSSING COUNTY LINES

To consolidate with any single city in the future, crossroads should county lines and would require:
(1) The consent of the city or town Oakland might seek to annex;
(2) also the consent of a majority of the voters of the balance of that county in which the city or town sought to be annexed might be located, a consent obviously impossible to obtain. This will destroy the chance of future consolidation of nearby cities or unincorporated territory.

Years ago San Francisco separated from San Mateo county. That city now retains the balance of the county, hard pressed for additional space, annexation of nearby territory is imperative. No section of San Mateo county can be joined to San Francisco without a majority vote of all the balance of the county in which the coveted territory is located, and such consent has been impossible to obtain. Does Oakland want to make the same mistake?

INDUSTRIAL EXPANSION

It is contended that as the proposed city and county of Oakland, which adds no new territory except Piedmont and Emeryville, will contain 38,085 acres in hill land, and while part of this hill territory is now utilized for residential purposes, it is not suitable for industrial expansion. It is contended that Oakland's future growth is to a large extent dependent upon the establishment of commercial activities, which demand level land and proximity to rail and water.

At the coming election when Oakland's separation (secession) is to be considered, Oakland will also vote on the adoption or rejection of the charter which was drawn for eleven communities, but which it is now sought to foist on this city alone. This situation is a menace because the law makes it impossible to eliminate one single officer originally provided for all the cities.

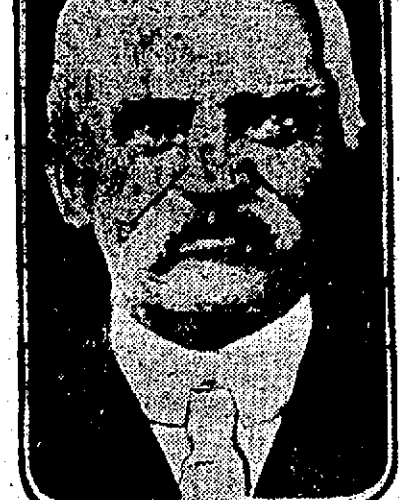
WILL COME SQUARELY BEFORE PEOPLE

This charter, which its proponents advocated for and which is being during the former campaign, claiming that it was not then an issue, recognizing that it was a handicap, will now be brought squarely before the people, with its many objectionable features—construction of civil service, autocratic powers given manager, unsatisfactory provisions affecting the schools, and the creation of new departments and employees, must be submitted to the scrutiny of voters.

It is generally conceded that the Eastbay cities must eventually acquire an adequate water supply, and this will necessitate the co-operation of all the communities. The last legislature enacted a Public Utilities Act providing for the formation of water districts by groups of cities. Division will prevent this co-operation of all the communities. The last legislature enacted a Public Utilities Act providing for the formation of water districts by groups of cities. Division will prevent this co-operation of all the communities.

Forfeits Fortune

ALFRED NEWSOME, peddler of shoestrings, who, according to police theory, ran away from a fortune rather than face two wives.



MYSTERY SOLVED BY TWO WIVES

Shoestring Peddler, Who Forfeits \$100,000 Legacy, Believed Too-Much Wed.

The sudden disappearance last February from the city hall, where he had been taken by police officers to be identified as Alfred Newsome, who had inherited a fortune, caused the police to believe that Alfred Newsome, veteran shoestring peddler of Oakland, had run away because he feared that money would ruin him.

Today, however, the police offer a different version of his disappearance. Newsome has not only a fortune awaiting him, but on top of that, they believe, he has two wives, both of whom are in destitute circumstances. One is a ward in the county hospital of Los Angeles county. The other lives in the East.

Newsome, who is 70 years old, has been known here as Alfred Nelson and by the name of Nelson. According to his friends in Berkeley, where he lives at 2136 Sacramento street, Mrs. Nelson also resided with him for a time. Mrs. Christina Nelson, who is a ward in the Los Angeles county hospital, declares that she is Newsome's wife. It was this woman, it is believed, with whom Newsome resided in Berkeley for a time.

LETTER HELD CORROBORATIVE

The belief that Newsome, whose inheritance was estimated to be around \$100,000, had two wives is supported by the finding of the woman in Los Angeles and by the receipt of a letter some time ago from the Albany auditor to Mrs. Nelson in Maine, who also claimed to be the wife of the Oakland shoestring peddler.

The letter was accompanied by another from Mrs. Nelson's daughter, who declared that her mother was in destitute circumstances and needed financial aid, requesting the Albany police to locate Newsome. The letter arrived a few days after the announcement of the will which bequeathed a fortune to Newsome in the name of Nelson, and Newsome disappeared.

Newsome, who was a well-known character on the streets of Berkeley and Oakland, where he went about peddling shoestrings, was brought to the Oakland police last February to be identified as Alfred Nelson. The identification was made from a picture forwarded to the local authorities by J. N. Landsberger, attorney of Philadelphia, who instigated the search.

ABANDONS PENCILS AND LEGS

While sitting in the office of the Captain of Inspectors James Drew, Newsome asked if he might leave for a few minutes to attend to some business. He left his bundle of shoestrings and a pack of pencils lying on Captain Drew's desk. The pencils and shoestrings are still at the police station awaiting Newsome's return.

Newsome's disappearance caused the local police a great deal of worry. Just why he should run away from \$100,000, more or less, was a puzzling question. The letter from Mrs. Nelson in the East, accompanied by one from her daughter, furnished a theory that he feared the wrath of his wife. Now it would appear, according to the police, that the finding of a second Mrs. Nelson, that Newsome feared prosecution and decided that he would be more at peace with the world peddling shoestrings than he would be with \$100,000 and two wives.

Masked Bandits Rob Los Angeles Grocer

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 19.—Four armed and masked bandits, operating in the eastern section of the city today, raided one of the Sam Seelig chain of grocery stores and took a large quantity of cash and merchandise.

Troops Rushed to Halt 'Amazon Army'

PITTSBURGH, Kan., Dec. 19.—A squad of National Guard machine gunners were rushed to Cherokee, Okla., where they were ordered to halt the "Amazon army" of women and children who were marching toward the city.

BRIDGE PLAN FOR WEBSTER ST. MAY FALL

Supervisors Appeal to War Department for Indefinite Postponement of the Order Estuary Span Be Replaced

Southern Pacific Co.'s Repudiation of Contract and the Advance in Cost of Main Reasons Given for Action

The Board of Supervisors, in a letter to Colonel Herbert Deakney, today requested the war department to postpone indefinitely the date on which its order will become effective for the construction of a new bridge across the estuary at Webster street.

This action follows an informal conference last week between Colonel Deakney, County Surveyor George Posey and Deputy District Attorney Theodore P. Wittschen, at which the matter was discussed in detail. Posey and Wittschen today made a report of the conference to the supervisors.

The letter to Colonel Deakney, in effect, formally sets forth as the views of the Board of Supervisors the facts presented to Colonel Deakney by Posey and Wittschen at the conference, and is in reply to a letter received from Colonel Deakney on November 28, which asked the status of the bridge plan.

The original order of the war department set October 30, 1916, as the date on which the present bridge must be removed and the new bridge built. The order was issued in the county of Alameda and the Southern Pacific lines entered into a contract under which the Southern Pacific agreed to construct a new bridge of the cost of constructing the new bridge if it was given a right of way over the bridge for its electric line tracks. The cost of the bridge then was estimated at about \$500,000.

When the United States entered the war the war department ordered work on the bridge postponed indefinitely. After the war the war department ordered the bridge to be cleared of the estuary channel of the present bridge.

The letter from the board of supervisors sets forth as reasons for requesting indefinite postponement of the bridge plan certain percentages of the cost of constructing the new bridge, which now is estimated at from \$2,500,000 to \$3,000,000; the dislocation of the Southern Pacific to participate as indicated by its agreement with the war department; the agreement with Alameda county; the inability of the county to procure funds due to the fact that proposals for such a bond issue must be voted upon by the people, and expressed by a majority of the voters, with sanction by a two-thirds vote, a bond issue of such magnitude as present costs would demand.

TEXT OF LETTER TO COL. DEAKNEY

The letter to Colonel Deakney follows:
Colonel Herbert Deakney, United States Engineer Officer, Customs House Bldg., San Francisco, Cal.

Referring to your communication of November 28, 1921, concerning the status of the proposed new bridge over the Oakland estuary to replace the present bridge, and the bridge of the Southern Pacific company and the Webster street bridge of the county of Alameda, the situation in reference to these bridges is as follows:

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WALL STREET GUARDED BY ARMED FORCE

Threat to Destroy New York Stock Exchange and Five Other Blocks in Financial District Leads to Caution

Fresh Plot to Kill J. P. Morgan Revealed by Lindenfeld; Lenin, Trotsky and Russian Reds Implicated

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Hundreds of extra policemen and detectives and heavy detachments of government secret service agents were on guard in the Wall street district today following anonymous threats of violence.

Both the city police and federal authorities believed the threats a hoax. They said that the precautions would be continued for several days.

A note was received by Charles P. Morgan, broker, at 25 Broad street, saying that the Stock Exchange building and everything else within five blocks would be destroyed. Another reason for the precautions was the possibility that terrorists might attempt reprisals for the revelations made by Wolfe Lindenfeld at Warsaw regarding the Wall street bomb outrages in 1920.

William J. Burns, head of the bureau of investigation of the department of justice, said he did not fear an explosion but was ready for anything. He said the public could rest assured that every possible precaution had been taken.

NAME OF WALL ST. BOMB MAKER KNOWN

WARSAW, Dec. 19.—(By the Associated Press.)—Wolfe Lindenfeld, alias Wm. Lind, arrested here at the instigation of the American secret service for alleged connection with the Wall street bomb explosion of September, 1920, has made three written statements to the police, one of which, in English, covers his activities in the past.

Silvester Cosgrove, the operative who brought about Lindenfeld's arrest, yesterday cabled the American department of justice the name of a blacksmith who, according to Lindenfeld, manufactured the bomb and engineered the details of the explosion.

LINDENFELD IS RENEGADE POLE

Cosgrove declares that Lindenfeld's confession corroborates his previous statements that the plot was financed in Moscow and that the plot was to kill J. P. Morgan, striking terror into America and showing the world that Wall street was not beyond defiance. (At the time of the explosion Mr. Morgan was in England.)

NEW PLOT TO KILL J. P. MORGAN

According to Paul E. Altendorf, who is said to have tried Lindenfeld to Warsaw, Lindenfeld made a statement to the effect when he was in Moscow, last August, he talked with Nikolai Lenin, Soviet premier, and Leon Trotsky, Soviet minister with reference to the explosion. J. P. Morgan's name was mentioned in this conversation, according to the alleged statement.

Altendorf says the statement adds that Lindenfeld intended a second session of the Third Internationale when the explosion was discussed and there was talk of plans for further bombings in America. Lindenfeld said that he would be further into the plot as conceived for explanation in America if permitted to reach the United States.

He says Lindenfeld has agreed to write a confession and to reveal the details of the plot. He has heard them discussed in Moscow, including additional plans to kill Morgan.

Manteca Watchman Shot by Prowlers

STOCKTON, Dec. 19.—Night Watchman Wright Oliver of Manteca was shot and dangerously wounded early this morning by a stranger who escaped. The officer had stopped the prowler as he was on the railroad track at the Manteca depot to question them. Oliver received a bullet wound in the right breast.

C. H. Sehn, S. P. night operator, who was with Oliver at the time, states that as the officer threw his flashlight on the pair and asked where they were going, one, without warning, drew a revolver and fired three shots, only one taking effect. Sehn drew the wounded officer's weapon from his pocket and emptied it after the fleeing bandits, without effect. Both strangers were young and the officers have good descriptions of them.

Picketing Is Ruled Illegal in Arizona

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The supreme court today dealt another blow at picketing by labor unions during strikes. It granted an injunction restraining members of the waiters' and cooks' union at Bisbee, Ariz., from picketing the restaurant of William Trux.

In its decision the court held invalid paragraph 1464 of the Arizona state statute covering injunctions in labor disputes.

'Dick' Croker, Former Tammany Chief, Ill

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS. LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE. MUSKOGEE, Okla., Dec. 19.—Richard Croker, former Tammany Hall chief in New York, is reported critically ill at his home, Glenview castle, near Dublin, according to a cablegram received today by the Muskogee Times-Democrat. The message was from Mrs. Croker, a former Muskogee woman.

Wilson Believes Harding Is Facing Fate Like His

By FRANK A. STETSON, International News Service Staff Correspondent. (Copyright, 1921, by International News Service.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Woodrow Wilson has a feeling of the "deepest sympathy" for President Harding in the present international situation, it was stated today by the International News Service today, a close personal friend of the former President, who just had a long conference with him regarding existing conditions.

"Mr. Wilson feels," said his visitor, "that President Harding is getting into much the same situation that he himself was following his return from Paris in 1919. He has labored long and faithfully toward the ideal of world peace and now finds the fruits of his labors endangered by the hostile attacks of a small and disgruntled minority."

GIRLS AMBUSH, BEAT PEDESTRIAN

Clint Arnold Says Young Women Attacked With Bricks, Stones.

Waylaid and badly beaten by four women, whom he declares rushed out at him from behind some bushes, Clint Arnold, a young man, was taken to a hospital today after being ambushed and dazed condition by a patrolman last night and taken to the police station.

Arnold was found by Patrolman J. C. King near his home. According to Arnold he was walking at Seventh and Fallon streets and had just crossed the trestle there, he said, when four young women pounced out at him from behind shrubbery. Arnold declares the women hurled stones and bricks, several of which hit him in the face. Crying for help, the man ran and was followed for almost a block by the women.

Arnold told police that he knew no one in the neighborhood where he was assaulted and said that he could give no reason for his being attacked.

H. M. Hammond, Alameda Postmaster

Henry M. Hammond was nominated as postmaster of Alameda today by President Harding, who sent the nomination to the United States Senate for confirmation. Hammond is a well-known local figure and has been in the postoffice for many years, rising from the position of assistant postmaster to that of postmaster. He is a member of the Rotary Club, the Elks, the Masons and other organizations.

Mellon Favors Wine, Beer Amendment

BY UNITED PRESS. LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE. WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Secretary of the Treasury Mellon stated today he would not oppose an amendment to the Volstead act providing for the unrestricted sale of light wines and beer as a revenue measure.

Mellon favors such an amendment for purposes of revenue and the passage of a similar bill in 1919. The treasury department, at the request of Chairman Fordney of the House ways committee, now is preparing estimates as to the amount of revenue that would be realized from a high tax on light wines and beer.

Canadian Lighthouse Tender Is Missing

WATERTOWN, N. Y., Dec. 19.—The steamer Concordia, a Canadian light tender, is missing between St. Lawrence and Lake Ontario ports, with a crew of ten men aboard, is believed to have been lost on Charley shoals in the vicinity of Cape Vincent. The Concordia left Maine docks on Friday. Since that time she has not been heard from.

Mother, Six Children Are Burned to Death

WINDSOR, N. S., Dec. 19.—Rouben Johnson and her six children, aged from 3 to 15, were burned to death yesterday in a fire which destroyed their home.

Johnson had been called away from home a short time before to help fight a fire at a neighbor's home. He returned to find his own home ablaze.

Girls Jailed After Fatal Cafe Brawl

HUNTSVILLE, Ala., Dec. 19.—Will Ricketts, proprietor of a local cafe, is dead; Fred Mutterer, son of a local merchant, is in a dying condition, and five girls were charged with manslaughter and assault with intent to murder, as the result of a fight here last night.

Train Is Derailed

ANNISTON, Ala., Dec. 19.—A railway fireman was killed and a number of persons were reported injured when the "Kansas City Special" bound west, was derailed near here at noon today.

VALERA TRIES TO KILL ERIN PEACE PACT

Declares Treaty Will Not End Conflict Between Britain and Ireland and Argues Against Its Ratification

Dail Eireann Stirred by the Warlike Talk As Griffith Declares Agreement Should Be Upheld; Approves Oath

BY UNITED PRESS. LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE. DUBLIN, Dec. 19.—Renewed warfare on England was threatened in the Dail Eireann today during debate on ratification of the peace treaty.

"I hope to continue to fight, even if this rotten document is accepted," cried Austin Stack, member of the Irish cabinet.

"I would have Irishmen remain slaves until the end of time rather than consent to such a document," said President de Valera.

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An interesting feature of the first session was the disclosure that Eamon de Valera, the Republican president, had submitted to last week's private meeting of the Dail an alternative proposal to the agreement signed in London. He explained he had done this in an effort to secure unanimity in the Dail.

When the Dail began at 11:15 o'clock this morning its public session, the speaker, Prof. John MacNeill, called the meeting to order.

GRIFFITH MOVES ADOPTION OF TREATY

Adoption of the treaty was moved by Arthur Griffith, former minister in the Dail cabinet and signer of the London agreement.

Commandant McKeeven of County Longford, one of the best known of the Irish Republican army leaders, seconded the Griffith motion saying:

"The Irish people want substance, not shadows. Immediately after the meeting began an argument arose as to whether the document introduced by Eamon de Valera, the Republican president, at the private meeting of the Dail last week should be introduced at the public session. It transpired that the document in question was an alternative proposed peace agreement drawn up by de Valera.

Griffith said the point in dispute was with regard to the recognition of the King. Those on the other side were prepared to recognize the King as head of the British commonwealth. The alternative proposal was that the King should be recognized as head of the British empire, whereas under the treaty the Irish would go in with heads up. That was the main difference, and he would not scrap a single word of the Irishman for it.

Griffith said this was the first treaty signed between England and Ireland as equals since the year 1172 and it recognized the Irish free state, the Irish army and Irish control of the purse.

Griffith said if the treaty were rejected and Ireland went to war again she would be fighting against the British empire. He said that the treaty was a document which would be a disgrace to the Irish people and that it would be a disgrace to the Irish people and that it would be a disgrace to the Irish people.

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First Girl Mayor

DR. AMY KANKONEN, new mayor of Fairport, Ohio, is a petite blonde and the first of her sex to be elected executive of an American city. She was swept into power on a dry platform. Since her election she has received letters of congratulation from Mr. Harding and other leading women of the nation. Photo from Underwood & Underwood, N. Y.



CHINESE LANDING INQUIRY IS SOUGHT

Bringing In of 36 Alleged Disarmed Mongols to Be Investigated.

That a congressional investigation will be asked into the so-called bringing into this country of thirty-six Chinese suffering from cholera, a disease of the liver declared by the surgeon general of the public health service to be "infectious, contagious and dangerous," by Charles A. McGee, Oakland attorney, was the statement today of prominent San Francisco lawyers closely connected with the case.

A letter from a Washington attorney, formerly connected with the department of labor at Washington and who now handles cases which bear on this department, was received in San Francisco today and stated that the investigation would be asked immediately.

At the same time McGee made an emphatic denial that he secured the entry of the Chinese through any "personal influence" through any other means, or that he had made use of any methods in the case which were not strictly above board. He admitted that they are a contract with the Chinese Consolidated Benevolent Association, popularly known as the Six Companies, and that he would receive \$15,000 as a result of his work.

McGee admitted that he was a former friend of James W. Davis, secretary of labor, and his assistant, D. J. Henning, but declared that this friendship had absolutely nothing to do with his procuring the official release for the Chinese.

"The gist of the matter is this," McGee said today. "The attorneys who had the case before were not smart enough and fell down, and they are sore and are trying to stir up trouble. I will receive \$15,000 for this work, but this amount includes expenses and is in no way exorbitant. I made the deal in Washington in regard to this case. Charges that any Chinese are not ready to believe their home government has so quickly accepted the lesser proposition unless there are important conditions attached.

OFFER CONDITIONAL ON SUBMARINE TERMS

In some quarters it is regarded as probable that the message from Britain and France, which was received by the French delegation, said unofficially to include Premier Briand's acceptance of the American proposal for French submarines, reached Washington today and implied the French delegates to ask for a 24-hour recess in the naval negotiations while they decide the message.

The French themselves manifest great surprise at the newspaper cable despatches reporting an acceptance. They had presented a proposal for twice as great a French capital ship fleet as that provided for in the American figures and they are not ready to believe that the government has so quickly accepted the lesser proposition unless there are important conditions attached.

Some surprise was expressed in French accounts over what was regarded as the unusual course taken by Chairman Hughes in bringing the situation to the attention of the French government through other channels than the head of the delegation in Washington.

Likewise there is some astonishment that whatever may have taken place in London between Premier Briand and Ambassador Harvey the French government has not yet officially advised of this decision.

The advances to Secretary Hughes were said to bear out unofficial reports that the French government had advised the French delegation to accept the American proposal of 175,000 tons of capital ships for France and Italy. The French acceptance, it was reported, was on a tonnage and not a ratio basis.

LITTLE DISCUSSION EXPECTED ON ITALY

Some discussion may be necessary, it was said, to bring Italy's views into accord with the five-power ratio proposal, but no prolonged negotiations on that point are expected.

Although never made public, the American capital ship proposal for France and Italy is known to have been in the shape of actual proposed tonnage not reduced to the form of a proposed ratio. As a consequence there was some confusion over today's official despatches from Paris quoting ratio figures.

In some quarters it is expected that a plenary session of the conference will be held in a few days, at which the definite five-power plan will be formally announced and an opportunity will be given for a public expression of views as to submarine tonnage.

Great Britain desires to present her plea for abolition of the submarine while French and American naval experts are known to favor comparatively large submarine tonnage. It was said in conference circles, probably could be worked out quickly with authority provided for both France and Italy to build "post-Jutland" ships as a replacement for the obsolete, dreadnaughts if they so desired.

FRENCH BACK DOWN: NAVAL TREATY NEAR

U.S., England, Japan, France, Italy Now Agreed on Warship Limitations; Harvey Wins Approval of Briand

Paris Will Seek Consent to Construct Big Submarine Fleet; Britain to Combat Increased Diver Tonnage

By CARL D. GROOT, United Press Staff Correspondent. WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—An agreement has been reached by the five naval powers of the world to limit their battleship armament.

Premier Briand has sent orders to the French delegation at the arms conference to back down from the demand for a navy greater than Japan's and to accept the decision of the other powers that the French ratio in the 5-5-3 plan be approximately 1.75. It was learned today from a high American authority.

The only obstacle in the path of a first and complete agreement on all features of the limitation program now is believed to be the question of submarines.

Briand, in his reply to Secretary Hughes, has indicated that he has stated that France reserved the right to consider later what

DE VALERA SEEKS NEW AGREEMENT ON IRISH PEACE

Arthur Griffith Asks Ratification of Treaty and Approves Allegiance Oath.

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taking the oath of allegiance to the British king. He paid tribute, however, to the delegates who signed the pact, saying that they did "as was in their excess of love for Ireland."

De Valera, continuing his argument for rejection, declared: "If King George came over to open the Irish parliament you would see black flags in the streets of Dublin."

He likened the treaty to the act of union, declaring it would lead to endless strife.

"Summing up, he asserted the treaty was entirely inconsistent with Ireland's position, and that if it were ratified Ireland could continue subservient to England."

Cries of "No" from supporters of the treaty followed this declaration. Austin Stack seconded De Valera's motion, saying he stood for "complete independence, and nothing short of it."

Count Plunkett also spoke in support of the motion for rejection.

During his address De Valera said if a provisional government was set up by Griffith and Collins in Dublin Castle, it would be regarded by the people as a usurpation. They had been chosen by British power as the authority in Ireland, he declared.

De Valera said this was the moment when a "grand peace" was possible and under it King George would come to Dublin.

Cries of "No, no" from his supporters.

He meant, he said, "as the president."

Santa Claus Agent Is Robbed By Jeering Bandits

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Two bandits robbed an emissary of Santa Claus last night of \$490 designed to aid poor families.

P. H. Moynihan, member of the Illinois Commercial company, motoring home after taking up a collection at public meetings to buy fuel and food for the poor of the South Chicago mill district, was held up.

"You don't want this money," he argued, "it's for Santa Claus to take care of the poor kids."

"We don't believe in Santa Claus," the robbers jeered as they took the money.

dents of America or France should come, as the heads of friendly states."

There were loud cries of "no" when De Valera said the Irish army would be his majesty's arm and the Irish ministers his majesty's ministers.

Ireland, under the status granted her by the pending agreement, would have the same right as Canada to send an Ambassador to Washington, declared Michael Collins, Sinn Fein finance minister, in arguing for ratification of the treaty this afternoon.

BY INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.
LEASD WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

LONDON, Dec. 19.—Parliament was prorogued this afternoon until January 31 without waiting to see what decision the Dail Eireann would take on the peace settlement. Advances from Dublin indicated that Dail might debate the treaty until the end of the week before taking a vote.

PEACE RATIFIED.
PARIS, Dec. 19.—The exchange of ratifications of the peace treaty between the United States and Hungary took place last night, according to a Budapest despatch.

SECRETARY DAVIS ORDERS FINES ON CUNARD COMPANY

Line Is Accused of Knowingly Attempting to Violate the Immigration Law.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (By the Associated Press).—Secretary Davis has ordered fines to the limit assessed against the British Cunard Steamship Line and has asked the State Department to make diplomatic representations to England for what he officially classed "as a bold and I believe a knowing attempt on the part of the company to violate the immigration law either because of the paltry profits to be gained, or to discredit our immigration policy."

The circumstance complained of arises out of the arrival on December 10 at New York of the liner Aquitania with 300 Hungarian immigrants, despite that on December 1 the immigration bureau had announced that the Hungarian quota entitled to enter the United States up to July, 1922, was exhausted. Davis has likewise addressed a letter to Attorney-General Daugherty asking for a legal opinion as to what action can be taken in "an appalling situation which has arisen by the reckless disregard of the law by steamship companies."

Since enforcement of the new immigration act the immigration authorities have been in practically constant controversy with steamship lines which they have charged with deliberate intent to make the law futile.

ALLEGATION DENIED.
NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Officials of the Cunard Line last night denied the allegation of Secretary Davis that the line had deliberately violated the immigration law.

"The Cunard Line," declared P. V. Whatmough, general passenger agent, "has at all times done its very best to comply with the requirements of the immigration laws. It has done nothing to discredit such laws or the immigration policy of the government."

COUNTY DIVISION PERILS INDUSTRY

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will make it more difficult to bring them into accord on other issues.

County division will bring in its wake innumerable complications—reimbursement to counties from which Oakland separates for public buildings and county institutions; allocation of bond issues; reproduction of county records—all of which is likely to end in costly litigation and increased taxes.

Oakland and the forced-in territory (Fleetwood and Emeryville) will alone be permitted to vote on the charter.

At the election on November 15, many citizens, opposed to county division, indulged the hope of consolidating our eleven governmental entities, and in pursuit of that hope voted "yes" on the theory that they were "willing to take a chance that all the communities would favor federation."

Now the situation is different, and those who favored federal federation will now vote to keep Alameda county as a harmonious unit rather than to permit it to be cut up into three or four fractions with future consolidation and expansion rendered impossible.

COUNTY HAS BEEN PROGRESSIVE, HARMONIOUS.
Alameda county was created March 18, 1853, and during the almost 65 years of its existence has been a progressive, prosperous and harmonious community, deserving and enjoying the affectionate devotion of the contented people dwelling within its limits. Alameda county, with a population of 350,000, contains 537,600 acres, possesses property listed at \$338,745,899. It is the third county in the state in population, wealth, and in resources and prospective importance is second to none.

Alameda county now has twelve representatives in the state legislature, but with a divided county a united and numerically strong delegation would no longer be possible, with a resultant weakening of influence in state affairs.

To permanently divide this great community would be an offense against good government and good citizenship; it will destroy Eastbay solidarity and seriously jeopardize the commanding position now held by this united and fast growing county on the continental side of San Francisco bay.

Oaklanders should vote "no" on both propositions, the charter and the division of the county.

The only claim on which any argument could be based is the reckless and unsupported assertion that the change would reduce taxes. This is mere camouflage. It is a trick to hide other motives. There will be no saving in taxes or in municipal expenses. On the contrary, taxes will go up and expenses will increase. This is proved and established by dependable figures which will be later presented.

W. E. Gibson is president of the league, and W. H. Parker secretary. Headquarters are at 1224 Broadway.

CHOOSING SANTA CRUZ.
SANTA CRUZ, Dec. 19.—Allice Gentile, the grand opera star, has again decided to spend the winter in Santa Cruz and with her guests will occupy the bungalow of Mrs. Alice Hunter, at Seabright, overlooking the lake.

COUNTY SEEKS TO ABANDON WEBSTER ST. BRIDGE PLAN

Refusal of S. P. to Keep Contract and Advance in Costs Reasons Given.

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\$300,000 to pay for the county's share of the cost of the bridge, and its share of the cost of the right of way.

Upon the entry of the United States into the war the building of the bridge was ordered postponed by the War Department. It is now estimated that the cost of the joint bridge at the present time, owing to changed conditions, would not be less than \$2,500,000, and perhaps cost as much as \$3,000,000. That the county's share of the cost would be not less than \$1,250,000, and perhaps as great as \$1,500,000. In the event the county were required to pay a separate bridge by reason of the Southern Pacific refusing to be bound by the agreement for a joint bridge, the cost of the single bridge to be used by the county alone would exceed one-half the cost of the joint bridge. The additional amount required to construct a single bridge or to pay the county's portion of the joint bridge would be too great to be borne out of the general tax levy, and must be raised by a bond issue. It is very doubtful if the voters of the county would authorize a bond issue of approximately \$1,500,000 at this time. A bond issue must be passed by a two-thirds vote.

S. P. REFUSES TO BE BOUND BY CONTRACT.

3. The Southern Pacific Company has informed us that they will not be bound by their agreement to construct a joint bridge; that it is their position that their franchise to run a suburban railway from Oakland to the Alameda mole expires in approximately eight years from date, and that the cost of their one-half of the joint bridge is too great an expenditure to be made in view of the short life of the franchise.

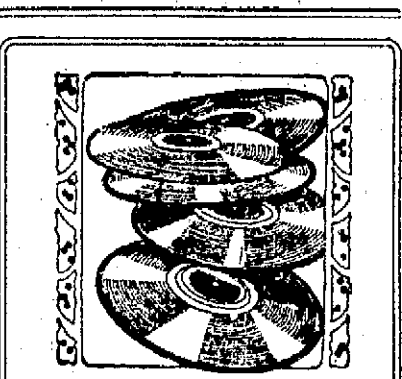
Accordingly, that company has announced that if the government insists upon this order, it will dismantle the Harrison street bridge, the result of which would be that the cities of Alameda and Oakland would be deprived not only of the transbay service maintained across that bridge, but of the street car service of the Southern Pacific Company as well between the cities of Alameda and Oakland. Their bridge is also used for freight service by the Southern Pacific Company claims that it can route this freight service over the Fruitvale bridge, located further easterly across the estuary at Fruitvale avenue.

The Southern Pacific Company, a few months ago, sought to abandon the street car and suburban service in this paragraph mentioned, and petitioned the Railroad Commission of California for leave so to do, but after a hearing this leave was denied.

If the war department accedes to the request of the county herein made there would be no occasion for the Southern Pacific Company to dismantle the Harrison street bridge, and this service, which is desired by the residents of this county, will doubtless be maintained.

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tained by the Southern Pacific Company, as it cannot be abandoned without the permission of the Railroad Commission of the state of California, which has already decided that it will not consent to such abandonment.

NAVY BASE NEEDS CONSIDERED.

4. There is another consideration which prompts our request. The proposed site for a naval base on San Francisco bay lies at the southerly and westerly extremity of the City of Alameda. If this site is developed, undoubtedly it will necessitate other means of transportation across the estuary. It seems to us unwise at this time to make a large expenditure of money to improve the Webster street bridge until the question of the naval base is fully settled. It is as that amount of money, expended at another location along the estuary where it will best serve the changed needs of the development on the Alameda side of the Oakland estuary caused by the naval base.

5. There is also the proposal for a new bridge across San Francisco bay. Under the orders of the War Department that bridge must be south of the naval base site, which may cause its easterly terminus to be on Bay View Island. It is not unlikely that if that bridge were built that the main point of crossing the estuary would be a point other than at Webster street. Both the matter of the proposed bay bridge and of the development and construction of the naval base occurred subsequent to the hearing of the War Department of the removal of the Webster and Harrison street bridges, and subsequent to the original order in reference thereto. By reason for the fact that these two projects materially change the situation, we think it only good judgment that the matter be suspended and permitted to remain in statu quo until the proposed changed conditions have definitely settled.

For the foregoing reasons we make the request that the War Department indefinitely postpone these orders in reference to both the Webster and Harrison street bridges until such time as that department feels a change should be made, and that then it make its new order giving a reasonable time to erect or construct new structures to take the place of the present bridges.

Respectfully submitted,
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF ALAMEDA COUNTY.
By WM. J. HAMILTON, Chairman.

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Christmas Shop to Aid Fund for Mills

De la Robbia Christmas wreaths, holly wreaths, mistletoe and garlands will be offered for sale this week by women in the Mills Club of Alameda county. The alumnae women opened today a store at 417 Fifteenth street and the commercial enterprise on behalf of the Mills College Endowment Fund will end Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Paul Parker is in charge of the Christmas shop.

The de la Robbia, combining fruits and nuts after the porcelain designs, are the suggestion of Mrs. Thomas Mitchell Potter, who designed them for the Belgian Relief two years ago.

Holiday merchandise, made by the Mills Club women, including Mrs. Potter's famous Black Cats, boxes of jams, nuts and fruit, Christmas favors and tree decorations, will also be offered.

The Christmas Festival and Bazaar held at Hotel Oakland a week ago by the Mills Club, netted approximately \$1700 for the college endowment fund.

FOOTPAD GETS \$32.
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19.—Walter De Vecchi of 431 Fillmore street, was waylaid by a footpad at Washington and Front streets early today and robbed of \$32.50.

To Stop a Cold in One Day Take Laxative BROMO QUININE tablets. The genuine bears the signature of Dr. W. Grove. (Be sure you get BROMO). 50c.—Advertisement.

WHIST PARTY.
The final whist party of the year to be given by Aloha Parlor of Native Daughters will take place tomorrow night at Wigwam hall in the Pacific building. Many Christmas awards are being offered.

JEWELS, FURS STOLEN.
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19.—Burglars using a master key entered the apartment of Mrs. Margaret Davidson, 746 Geary street, during the night and obtained jewelry and furs to the value of \$1125.

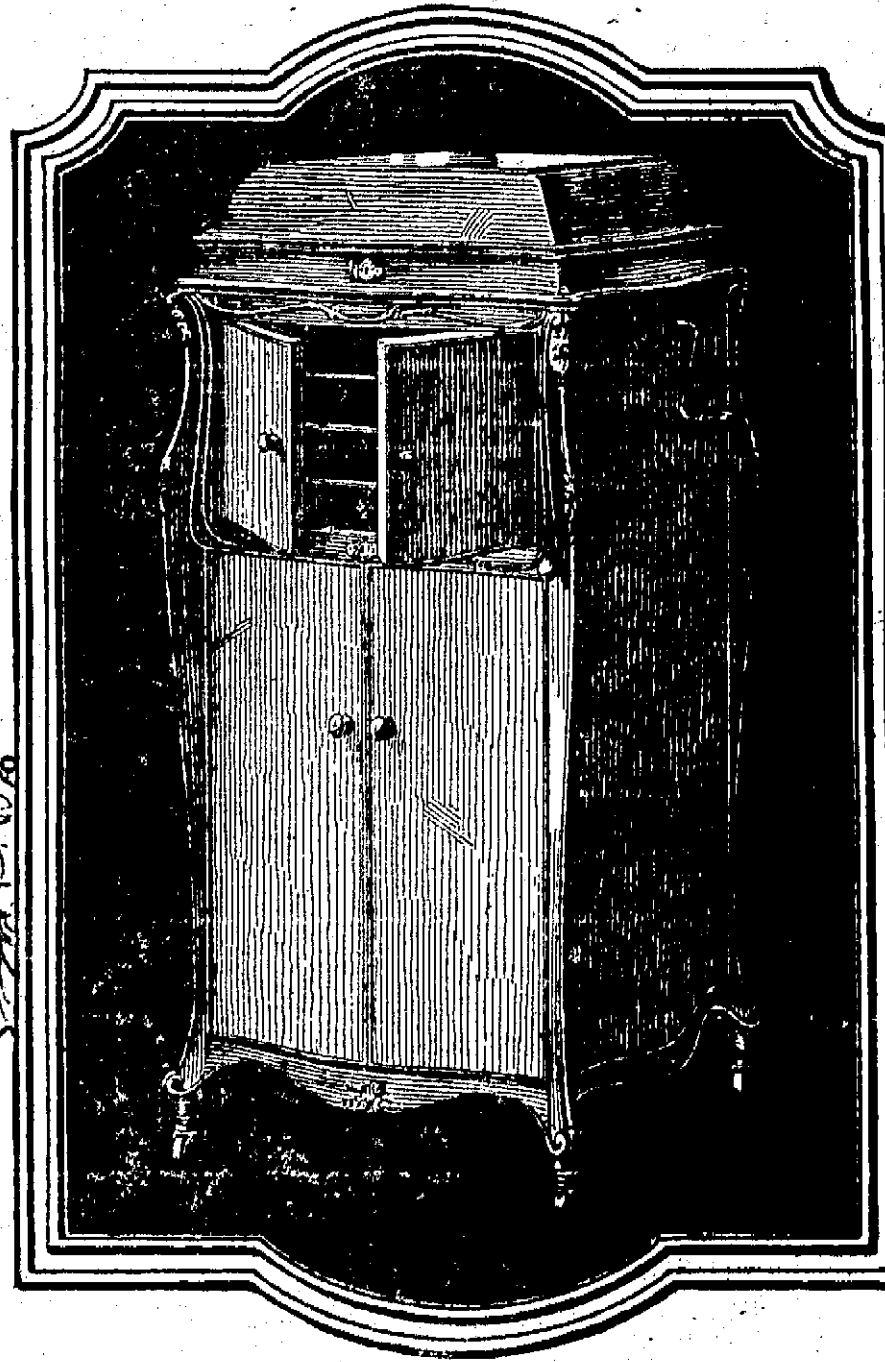
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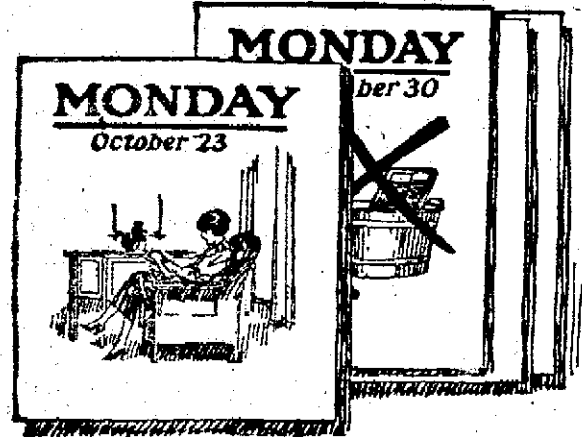


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LONDON, Dec. 19.—Nearly \$28,000,000 worth of gold bullion has been recovered from the liner *Laurentic*, which was sunk in January, 1917, off the north coast of Ireland by a German submarine. Operations have been suspended for the winter, but they will be resumed again in the spring when an effort will be made to recover the remaining \$10,000,000 to \$15,000,000 worth of bullion which is said to be still at the bottom of the sea. Great difficulties have been encountered by the salvage crew, for after three years pounding by the

MICE TRAPPED WHEN WHISKERS TICKLE OYSTERS

CHESTERTON, Md., Dec. 19.—Thomas H. White, merchant, deals in fresh oysters. He is bothered by mice. On closing his store he leaves newly fished bivalves about. Curious mice peep into the oysters, their whiskers tickle the mollusc, the shells slam shut and that house is no more.

CAPITAL BUILDING BOOM.
SACRAMENTO, Dec. 19.—Seventy building permits for \$122,808 were issued last week by Building Inspector Ben H. Covell, compared with sixty-three permits for \$130,888 issued the previous week. Atlantic swells the liner has been transformed into a heap of twisted debris.

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Fine quality, well tailored, pin tucked, collar and turn-back cuffs, finished with embroidery or pleating, each... **\$4.85**

WOOL FLANNEL MIDDIES—Regulation braid trimmed lace front, each... **\$2.95**
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Specials for Tuesday, Dec. 20th

3000 MEN'S 'KERCHIEFS

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"JERGEN'S" CRUSHED VIOLET AND LILAC TOILET POWDER, can... **25c**
"JAVA" RICE POWDER—Popular shades, box... **36c**
BLACK RUBBER COMBS—All coarse or mixed teeth, each... **50c**
RUBBER GLOVES—Sizes 7 and 8—pair... **33c**
WOMEN'S HAND BAGS of real leather with three compartments and small mirror. Specially priced at... **\$3.00**
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LONG KID GLOVES—Overseam style with pretty self embroidered backs—white only, 12-button length, pair... **\$2.95**
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For **25c** For **50c** For **\$1**
ARM BANDS in holiday boxes, pair...
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TIES, assortment of poplin in small designs—each...
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SUSPENDERS in holiday boxes, pair...
"PARASILK" FIBRE HOSE, black, gray, navy or cord, pair...
SILK HOSE, good quality: black, gray, navy or cord, pair...
"PARIS" CARTERS, silk elastic; assortment of colors, pair...
SILK HANDKERCHIEFS—Fancy borders, each...
LEATHER BELTS, tongue buckles: 35c, 95c and \$1.25 values, each...
"HICKOK" INITIAL BUCKLE BELTS, ea. NECKWEAR—Large assortment of designs and colorings, ea. PERCALE SHIRTS—Good quality, each. INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS, box of 6 INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS—Colored woven border, box of 3

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Bring the list of friends you wish to remember, examine our offerings, and make selections of pleasing leather gifts for everyone on the list. Here are some suggestions:

Hartmann Wardrobe Trunks

We are exclusive agents for the splendid Hartmann Wardrobe Trunks, one style of which is illustrated here. Hartmann Trunks make ideal gifts because they combine beauty, usefulness and durability.

The style illustrated here is a round edged model and is priced at

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Other Wardrobe Trunks from **\$25 to \$137.50**

BEAUTY BOXES

Attractive beauty boxes in gray and brown spider grain leather make gifts that appeal to mother, wife or sweetheart. Priced at **\$1.95** and **\$2.45**; others priced up to **\$20**.

Boston Bags

Useful all day, every day, are these pleasing Boston Bags. A particularly stylish leather, brown or black. Boston Bag is priced at **\$2.45**, and another, leather lined, covered in special high-grade leather, at **\$5.45**. The prices on the line range from **\$1.50 to \$20**.

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A gift of real usefulness is a "roll-up" which will keep all of one's personal toilet articles together on a trip. Fitted for women or men (the men's with military brush sets), prices are from **\$5 to \$50**.

OVERNIGHT CASES

Ideal as gifts are over-night or week-end cases. One special week-end case, with nine white fittings, is priced, 16-inch size, at **\$14.95**. Other week-end cases up to **\$125.00**.

Brief Cases and Music Bags

Invaluable to professional people or to anyone who has papers to carry, are brief cases. The line of brief cases and music bags is priced from **\$3.75 to \$50**.

OTHER SUGGESTIONS

TRAVELING BAGS, of every possible size, style and finish, make ideal gifts. A special walrus-grain cowhide bag, originally planned to sell at **\$12.50**, is being offered at **\$7.50**. Others are priced from **\$4.25 to \$117.50**.

SWAGGER BAGS, popular with everyone for giving, are represented here by an unusual assortment of bags, priced from **\$1.05 to \$25**.

SUITCASES of every possible size, sort and description, make universally appreciated gifts. Prices in leather and fabricoid range from **\$2 to \$80**.

WALLETS, Purses, Card Cases and other useful pocket leather articles make attractive gifts. See our full selection.

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Free Expert Lessons in
Xmas Fancy Work,
Art Shop, Third Floor.

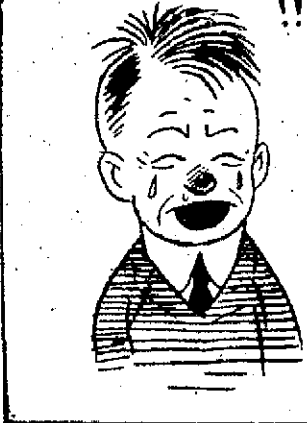
CONVENT ALUMNAE ORGANIZE IN S. F.

San Francisco Circle of Convent Alumnae, organized for the purpose of increasing the scope of Catholic education, literature and social work, was formed at a recent meeting of the California members of the International Federation of Catholic Alumnae. Miss Margaret Pattigan, Governor of the California State Chapter of the International Federation, was chairman at the organization conference, attended by more than 200 delegates.

Miss Elizabeth Myrick was elected president. Those who will serve with her in directing the activities of the local convent alumnae are: Vice-president, Miss Winifred Gaffney; corresponding secretary, Miss Laura Kelly; recording secretary, Mrs. D. J. Murphy; treasurer, Miss Myrtle Keck. The executive board is composed of Miss Margaret Madden, Mrs. E. Cullinan, Mrs. Grace Buckley, Mrs. Perry Terwilliger, Miss Margaret Rich, Miss Madeline Muldoon, Mrs. M. Stuart, Miss Florence Montford, Mrs. M. Jones, Mrs. J. C. Flood, Mrs. R. A. Mayon, Miss K. L. Wood and Mrs. J. V. Collins.

5 MORE SHOPPING DAYS

ONLY A FEW MORE DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS!!



U. S. RHINE OFFICER DIES. COBLENZ, Dec. 19.—Major E. A. Miller, chief engineer of the American forces in Germany, died yesterday of pneumonia, developed from influenza.

ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN

Betrothal Is Announced at Sorority House

In college circles the latest bit of campus chatter is the engagement of Miss Helen Shoemaker of Riverside, a member of the Alpha Gamma Delta sorority, and Thaddeus Wilson of Portland, a Kappa Sigma fraternity man of the Oregon Agricultural College.

The betrothal "broke" at a dinner at the Alpha Gamma Delta chapter house in Channing way last week. June is the month set for the wedding. Miss Shoemaker is in her junior year and has been song leader as well as prominent in other campus activities.

Wilson is a Portland man and it is in the northern city that the couple will establish their home following their marriage in the summer.

At high noon last Monday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Williamson on Park avenue, Alameda, Miss Gladys Eugenia Williamson became the bride of Edwin Swansfeldt of Portland, son of a prominent family in Mendocino county. The bridegroom is associated with the Northwestern Pacific. The couple have left on a honeymoon trip to be passed in the Valley of the Moon in Sonoma county, where they are at the country home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Frank Bush of Alameda.

The bride was attended by Mrs. Samuel McDonough of Belvedere as matron of honor and Raymond Williamson, cousin of the bridegroom, was best man. Mrs. Swansfeldt wore a traveling suit of gray daygown with fur trimmed hat.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR FOR CHARITY

With charity their goal, the grammar grade students of Miss Horton's school at Perkins and Palm avenue gave a Christmas bazaar Saturday afternoon in their assembly hall. The funds derived therefrom are to be used for the Oakland Social Center. Every bit of handiwork for sale Saturday was accomplished by the students who for weeks have been preparing for the event. A group of girls who were leaders in the bazaar included Miss Frances Sherman, daughter of Mr.

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Accused Bigamist Explains His Plight

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19.—William F. Mooney, theatrical manager, who is in jail facing a charge of bigamy, following his marriage Thursday to Vera de Voeas, 17-year-old cashier in a downtown store, declared today that wife No. 1, Jean Kelly, pretty Hollywood film actress, is a "publicity fiend" and "would stop at nothing to gain space in the newspapers."

According to Mooney, he took Mrs. de Voeas to dinner in Oakland Thursday evening, missed the last ferry and decided on marriage as the best way out of the situation. "The girl consented."

At the time of his marriage to his first wife, Mooney declared today, she made him go through the wedding ceremony three in one day to satisfy her whims for publicity.

SCHOOL BAN ON POWDER PUFFS UP TO COURTS

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 19.—What have the courts of Arkansas to say about the pioneer rule of a young woman to powder her nose and touch up a bit, perhaps, with rouge?

Paul Torgler of Kosher, who is 17, is the pioneer who is going to have that question answered. She was sent home from the public school under a board rule saying: "The use of face powder or cosmetics is prohibited."

She consulted a barrister then her father, her father consulted a lawyer, the lawyer consulted some law books, then filed a petition for a writ of mandamus. He wants the courts to order the board to

2000 Expected at Whist Tournament

Accommodations are arranged for more than 2000 players at the whist tournament to be held tonight in the Oakland Municipal Auditorium, under direction of all the Alameda county purveyors of Native Sons and Daughters of the Golden West. It is declared that this will prove the largest entertainment of its kind ever held in Oakland.

The Christmas spirit will be typified in the decorations, lighting and costumes the score girls and will be particularly emphasized in the distribution of seventy tickets and more than \$1000 in merchandise as gate and game prizes.

Shirley Frank Burnett heads the arrangements committee from all the cities in the county. She will reinstate Miss Buckley, powder puff and all at the school.



Christmas Ribbons

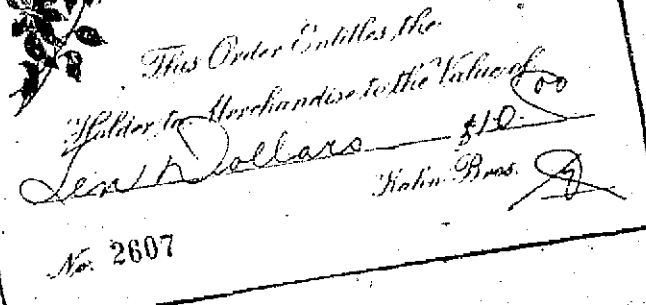
"Tie-up" ribbons in all colors and widths at prices that are moderately low.

Ribbons for holiday sewing in profusion of delightful colorings and pleasing patterns.

Gifts That Express Everyone's Preferences

—In this great Christmas store one may find wide assortments of acceptable gifts for every member of the family. Here are gifts for men, women and children in diversified arrays of newest novelties as well as old favorites; emphasizing the fact that—"a gift from Kahn's is sure to please!"

A Merchandise Order Makes a Most Acceptable Gift



—Certain of appreciation, a Merchandise Order (from Kahn's) often makes the most pleasing gift of all. Rest assured that, if the recipient's personal needs and preferences are not known

to you, a Merchandise Order will make an acceptable gift—serving the purpose as a greeting card as well.

—We issue them for any desirable amount, redeemable at any time, for any article in the store.

Christmas Sale of Gloves

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| Men's Gloves \$3.50 pair | Women's Wear-Well Gloves \$1.55 pair |
| —Imported mocha gloves of extra quality; pique sewn. Ideal for "his" gift. In gift boxes at \$3.50 pair. | —Kahn's special, imported lambskin and goat-skin gloves in white, black, brown and tan. All perfect. Boxed at \$1.55 pair. |
| Real Kid Gloves \$2.50 pair | Long Gloves \$2.00 to \$4.50 pair |
| —Two-clasp, overseas sewn, dress gloves of quality and appearance with self and contrasting stitchings. | —Fashionable long gloves in imported lambskin. Snow white quality, overseas sewn. (A few colors as well.) |
| Real Kid Gloves \$3.00 pair | —3-button length, with mousquetaire wrist, pair \$2.99 |
| —Pique sewn, genuine kid gloves in white, black and colors. | —4-button length, with mousquetaire wrist, pair \$3.00 |
| Real Mocha Gloves \$3.50 pair | —16-button length, with mousquetaire wrist, pair \$4.50 |
| —Women's fine quality Arabian mocha gloves in authentic shades. Quality and style expressed in every pair. | Washable Fabric Gloves \$1 pair |
| Woolen Gloves \$1.00 pair | —Filosette and Chamoulette gloves in all new and wanted colors, such as heaver, butternut, brown, fawn, gray, white and black. |
| —Knitted and lined gloves in sizes for men and boys. The pair \$1.00. | |

These Last Few Days Will Be Busy Ones in Toytown at Kahn's

Here Are a Few Suggestions:

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| Kestner Quality Jointed Dolls \$5.95 and \$6.95 | Popular Games |
| —Kestner quality, full jointed dolls with pretty head and beautiful curls. Seventeen inches tall at \$5.95 | —Ouda Boards, the genuine, mysterious board game, 50c |
| —The same doll, 12 inches tall at \$6.95 | —Lauda Games, large size, 69c |
| Baby Dolls with Composition Heads | —Chats and Traveller, the ever popular favorite, \$1.69 |
| —F. & B. baby dolls with each body and composition head (hard to break) with moving eyes, dressed in rompers or underslip. Three sizes, specially priced: | —Polyanna, entertaining, \$3.99 |
| 13-inch size \$3.69 | —Parenes, good for young and old, \$3.99 |
| 20-inch size \$4.39 | —Castle Building Blocks for the little fellow; four sizes, priced from 11c to 79c |
| 22-inch size \$6.69 | |
| Aeroplane Sets \$2.50 to \$4.95 | |
| —Complete sets, ready to be set up in Tangle, Rotor, Newport, Curtiss, military and other models. Underpinned at \$2.50 to \$4.95 | |
| —Ideal O-Planes, with fibre wings and propeller, "sawtooth" \$3.99 | |
| —Silk Wing Aeroplanes, small size \$1.50 | |
| —Large size \$2.50 | |



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25 cans Cleanser FREE with 1 case of Babbitt's Soap.

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NIGHTINGALE TO CHANGE PLEA ON MURDER CHARGE

'Self Defense' to Be Dropped; Selection of a Jury Begun.

'Self-defense' will not be the plea of Police Officer Charles J. Nightingale, member of the Oakland traffic squad, whose trial for the alleged murder of Giuseppe Suppo at Alameda street last July began this morning with the selection of a jury before Superior Judge Lincoln S. Church. This statement, which upsets the previous belief of the prosecution, was made before the opening of the trial this morning by Attorney Henry J. Skinner, one of Nightingale's counsel, who refused, however, to say what line the defense would actually take.

The fatal shooting occurred, it is alleged, after Nightingale, disguised as a sailor, had gone in company with 17-year-old Richard Truffa and Police Officer G. H. Hall to the Oriental rug establishment of Shemiel Barbour, at 710 Eighth street, where Suppo was working, and engaged in an altercation with him. Both Nightingale and Hall were off duty at that time.

Nightingale asserted that he had gone to arrest Suppo. He said Suppo had struck at him before he fired.

Men in Stolen Auto Hit Police Machine

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19.—The Bush street police station patrol was responding to a call at Gough and Market streets when it collided with a small machine. The other car did not stop after the accident and the patrol started in pursuit. The fugitive machine was overhauled. Robert Murphy, a stevedore, was driving, and Edward Dougherty, another stevedore, was seated beside him. Murphy was charged with reckless driving. Later the officers say they discovered that the car had been stolen. Murphy had been liberated from the city prison on \$20 bail. He failed to return home. Dougherty was arrested and charged with grand larceny.

Legislature Meets To Aid Highways

SALIDA, Ore., Dec. 19.—A special session of the legislature called by Governor Olcott convened today. Members generally asserted the session would be continued chiefly to the brief program outlined by the government for the proposed referendum of a \$3,000,000 tax measure to support the proposed Atlantic-Pacific highway and electrical expedition in Portland in 1925, and measure to police and regulate traffic on the state highway system.

ROAD FOR FIREWOOD

LONDON, Dec. 19.—Within three days after Upper North Street had been paved with wooden blocks, residents of Poplar had torn up the pavement and stolen 24,000 blocks for firewood. Six men and a woman were arrested, but escaped with small fines.

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The titles must not exceed twelve words in length.

They must reach THE OAKLAND TRIBUNE by Thursday night following the Monday the picture is published.

One person may send in as many titles as he wishes, but only two on one postcard.

Winners will be announced each Sunday. Sharpen your pencil and go to it!

Legion Post Will Give Athletic Night

ALAMEDA, Dec. 19.—Alameda Post, American Legion, is to hold an athletic night tomorrow evening. Boxing bouts have been arranged. Lieutenant of Police George Daly will act as referee. The athletic talent has been secured from the high school and the University of California. Refreshments will be served. This will be the first entertainment to be staged by the legion men in their new headquarters at 1343 Park street.

Mars has a moon which is but 6000 miles from that planet. It is not over 60 miles in diameter.

San Francisco News

MAN LEAPS OFF HOUSE HELD TO EXAMINE SANITY

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19.—A man giving the name of Ettore Bighetti is being held for examination as to his sanity, following a threat yesterday to jump off the roof of a three-story building at 651 Folsom street. He ran to the rear, which adjoins a hill, and leaped to the ground, twenty feet below. He was caught and taken to the detention hospital.

Army Mail Truck Helper Is Injured

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19.—Malcolm Coidin, aged 38 years, and living at 1018 Mission street, is at the Park Emergency hospital with a fractured skull as the result of an accident which occurred at Fifth avenue and Lincoln way yesterday. Coidin was riding on a United States mail truck as a helper. The truck struck a pole and Coidin was thrown to the pavement.

Salvation Army Is Working for Needy

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19.—Salvation Army girls, students in the Army's training college in this city, are continuing this week to solicit funds in the downtown shopping district for the aid of the poor. When the work is completed this week they will devote their energies to distributing baskets and gifts to families in need.

Police Permits for Soda Founts Sought

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19.—Captain of Police Arthur Layne has the draft of a proposed ordinance which provides that all local establishments selling soft drinks be brought under the jurisdiction of the police commissioners. If the ordinance is passed candy stores, drug stores and other places selling soda water and other soft drinks will be compelled to seek a permit from the police commissioners as saloons were forced to do before the passing of the Volstead act.

SCOUTS ADVANCE TO NEW RANK

BERKELEY, Dec. 18.—The largest number of Scouts advanced from second to first class at one time received their promotion at a special meeting of the court of honor of Berkeley Boy Scouts.

Those advanced to first class were: Malcolm Tracey, William Brobeck, Ted Dunyan, William Hanson, Barney Alden Gow, Robert Horner, John McMurray and James Walton.

The number of Scouts who also passed in merit badges also constitutes a record, the number being thirty. Of these, five of the Scouts passed their test in life saving, this number being more than all in the previous history of scouting in Berkeley. This means that five Scouts are now qualified to save life in the case of a drowning person.

The following Scouts also recently were advanced to second class: Robert Kinner, Nicholas Andrews, Lawrence McClure, Raymond Devon, Robert Garfield.

ONE MAN KILLED, EIGHT HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENTS

Fatality Results When Car Skids on Slippery Highway.

One man is dead today and six persons are recovering from injuries as a result of several automobile accidents during the week-end.

THE DEAD.

George P. Francis, San Mateo, a printer.

THE INJURED.

Mrs. Ruth Robert Prince, Philadelphia, head and neck lacerations.

Miss Elizabeth Adams of Hillsborough, minor bruises and lacerations.

Chris Rode, Woodstock hotel, 130 Ellis street, San Francisco, laceration of the scalp, fracture of the arm and head.

William Moore, laborer, 1141 Sumner street, San Francisco; dislocated left collar bone, abrasion of the knee and lacerations of the face.

Elmer Newman, laborer, 3327 Twenty-second street, San Francisco, scalp wound and contusion.

Agnes Siles, a nurse, of 733 O'Farrell street, San Francisco; cut about the face and hands.

Ernest J. Stewart, 1239 Locust street, San Jose; cuts and bruises.

Miss Carrie Sherman, San Jose; bruises and lacerations; suffering from shock.

Francis was dead when he arrived at the Mills Memorial hospital, San Mateo, from injuries received when the automobile in which he was riding skidded from the road on the highway near that city and overturned. The car was driven by Arthur Hamilton, 708 Batwater avenue, Burlingame, who escaped uninjured. Hamilton's brother, George Hamilton, was also riding in the machine, but was unhurt. Francis died from a fractured skull, according to physicians.

SOCIETY WOMEN HURT.

Mrs. Prince and Miss Adams, prominent in San Francisco society circles, received minor injuries yesterday when their automobile collided with a machine driven by T. R. Seiman of Mountain View. The accident occurred on the highway near South San Francisco. Seiman was arrested by the police of San Francisco on a charge of driving an automobile while intoxicated. Both women are suffering from shock in addition to other minor injuries.

Three men were pinned beneath a crushed and injured yesterday at Van Ness avenue and Market street, San Francisco, after it had crashed head on into a heavy touring car, then struck an iron light pole and overturned. The driver of the light car, cab, and had as passengers Jack Hammer, 1214 Silver avenue, San Francisco; John Lane, 1189 Lane street, and Fred O'Malley, 2207 San Francisco avenue, San Francisco, as passengers. Edward Campman, 53 Pleasant street, San Francisco, driver of the touring car, was not hurt. The injured were treated at the Central Emergency hospital.

MISS SILES WAS BADLY CUT ABOUT THE FACE AND HANDS YESTERDAY.

Miss Siles was badly cut about the face and hands yesterday when flying glass as she was walking down Geary street, San Francisco. An automobile driven by Richard Bell, 1950 Blith street, that city, skidded and struck the curb, shattering its windshield. The flying glass struck Miss Siles, inflicting a number of cuts.

SHOOTING ON THE STATE HIGHWAY AT THE MOUTH OF COYOTE CANYON.

Shooting on the state highway at the mouth of Coyote canyon last night, an automobile driven by Stewart crashed through a fence at the side of the highway, turned turtle and pinned Stewart and Miss Sherman beneath its wreckage. Both were cut and bruised and the young woman was unharmed by the shock of her experience. Stewart told officers investigating the accident that he had turned out for an approaching automobile and that the heavy rain and glare of the oncoming machine's lights resulted in his skidding from the highway. Stewart and Miss Sherman were taken to San Jose for treatment.

MOOSE COMPLETE PLANS FOR PARTY

Hundreds of boys and girls are to be guests of the Oakland Lodge Loyal Order of Moose, at a theater party in the T. and D. theater at 10:30 o'clock Monday evening, December 26.

The majority of the youngsters will be from institutions, including the Oakland Social Settlement, the East Oakland Social Settlement, the red Finlay orphanage, Oakland, the Home, St. Joseph's Home, the Home Finding Society, the Tooker Memorial Home and other institutions.

The program will include an illuminated Christmas tree lighted with hundreds of electric lights, the distribution of gifts, candies, fruits and nuts by Santa Claus.

A feature will be a reception to the children by a committee headed by six Superior court judges.

The program will include a Christmas sketch, "The New Year's Dream," presented by the Blanche Healy Kiddie Club, and the play, "The Little Boy Who Stole the Christmas Tree," by "All Baba and the Forty Thieves."

Woman's Murder Trial Postponed

Mrs. Jesuita D'Agostini, charged with the murder of Arnold Postel, Alameda furniture dealer, today took pity on District Attorney Ezra Decoto, and consented to have her trial continued until Decoto could recover from the effects of a recent operation.

Mrs. D'Agostini, whose trial was scheduled for this morning in Judge Church's court, first refused to hear of a continuance and insisted upon the trial. The trial was set for January 9.

TAX SUIT SETTLED.

City Clerk E. K. Sturges today received from the Great Western Power company a check for \$68,068.38, a belated account for taxes which were for some time ago under a law suit which established the status of "operative properties in the city of Oakland."

BLUE BIRD BUREAU OF THE TRIBUNE

As announced daily in this column for the past week, no more letters from kiddies can be received or taken care of.

The idea of self does not seem to be dominant in most of the letters I have come to the Blue Bird Bureau from the needy in the last day or two. A large portion of the missives are from mothers who are anxious that Christmas shall be a real holiday for their children with presents, toys, clothing, food and goodies. Many of the letters are from the children themselves.

Here is one from a mother of two children:

"Dear Blue Bird: I am 12 years old and I am 12 years younger. I will be a great help if you can. The following is from a girl of 14: 'Dear Blue Bird, I have read about you helping the poor. Well, I am a girl of 14 years old and a sister of 12 years old without father or mother. I am living with an aunt, but she is the only support I've got. We need clothing and shoes. We need warm clothes, and will you please give us a little for Christmas? I don't want to ask this of you, but I am hoping to hear from you.'"

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GOODFELLOWS' BLANK

I will be Santa Claus to children. (As many as you wish). Please give me the names of children in

(Name what section of the city you prefer to have assigned to you.)

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(Sign your name and give address and phone number.)

Tribune Subscribers Are Winning Valuable Prizes

Are you keeping in mind the number of your Oakland TRIBUNE subscription receipt for the month of December? And watching this list every day?

Ten TRIBUNE subscribers are receiving free gifts each day during this month. The lucky numbers are published in this column each day. These lucky numbers are selected at random from TRIBUNE receipts that are issued during the month beginning with December 1, 1921, by the Circulation Department, at our main office, branch offices, and our subscription collectors, who call regularly at the homes of the TRIBUNE subscribers in Oakland, Berkeley and Alameda. Every prize is worth while, the prizes vary every day—they are of interest and value to man, woman and child. So when you pay your TRIBUNE subscription bill, remember the number of your receipt—and watch the TRIBUNE Subscription Prize List every day from now on.

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Present your TRIBUNE subscription receipt with the winning number at the Circulation Department, OAKLAND TRIBUNE, Thirteenth and Franklin Streets, Oakland.

HERE ARE THE LUCKY NUMBERS FOR TODAY

Receipt Number MONDAY, DECEMBER 19TH, 1921

NO. 59125—One set of Kitchen Utensils (flour sifter, potato masher, egg beater, paring knife, pot chain and sooper).

NO. 80064—Two tickets to Oakland Orpheum (for evening).

NO. 32783—Order for one dozen bottles California Sparkling Mineral Water. "Drink it for your health."

NO. 43318—Two tickets to Oakland Orpheum (for matinee).

NO. 127010—One set of six White and Gold China Cups and Saucers.

NO. 59216—Two tickets to Oakland Orpheum (for matinee).

NO. D 349-11—One set of Six Silver Table Spoons, "Jewel" pattern.

NO. B 106-22—Two tickets to Oakland Orpheum (for evening).

NO. B 126-12—One Aluminum Tea Kettle.

NO. B 133-35—Two tickets to Oakland Orpheum (for matinee).

You may be a WINNER in tomorrow's list. Watch THE TRIBUNE Christmas Tree list DAILY.

HERE ARE THE WINNERS FOR YESTERDAY.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1921

T. H. FLAMBERG, 534 Broadway, Oakland

M. BALDWIN, 150 Kensington Street, Oakland

J. BROWN, 823 Fifteenth Street, Oakland

T. J. ALLEN, 174 East Thirti-second Avenue, Oakland

M. TITTEL, 1701 Pacific Avenue, Alameda

A. L. PRICE, 1692 East Thirti-second Street, Oakland

M. L. CROZIER, 505 Auburn Street, Oakland

M. S. SPALDING, 5134 Auburn Street, Oakland

MRS. WILLIAMS, 2242 Seminary Avenue, Oakland

A. TITTEL, 3241 Tower Street, Oakland

SEAGULLS ARE LAND LUBBERS IN CLAREMONT

The sea gull is changing its nature. It is becoming a land gull and is forgetting to cruise over the briny deep.

This assertion is brought forth by a coterie of Claremont naturalists who, owning chickens, have been known to become observers of the habits of the wandering fowl. The Claremonters are convinced that the sea gull is now strictly a land lubber.

"It is greeting predatory like a hawk," says one Claremont naturalist, "and it is not afraid of man now because the gulls fight with my chickens for food. I cannot afford to feed both sea gulls and chickens. It must be one or the other."

Similar points are heard from all parts of Claremont.

"I am convinced there is much justice in their contention," says City Attorney Leon Gray, who is becoming a Claremont naturalist. "The district is becoming a sea gull paradise. Why? Nobody knows."

ALL OF BAY TO HONOR MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY HEAD

Ann Arbor Alumni Prepares for M. L. Burton's Visit to Oakland, S. F.

BERKELEY, Dec. 19.—President M. L. Burton of the University of Michigan and members of his faculty will be guests of honor at a luncheon to be given on Tuesday, December 27, at the Faculty Club on the Berkeley campus by graduates of the Ann Arbor institution.

President Burton and his family will be in the bay section over Christmas and the series of entertainments have been planned in honor of the visitors by Michigan graduates. On Saturday the party will be taken on a sight-seeing tour of Chinatown in San Francisco, while on Christmas Day a drive around San Francisco will be enjoyed. On Monday the Burtons will be guests in Berkeley, while in the evening a banquet will be given at the Hotel Fairmont in San Francisco, attended by 150 or more Michigan alumni. An invitation to the banquet has also been extended to alumni of the University of Michigan. Judge Burton was professor and president before his appointment a year ago as head of the Michigan institution. Guests at the banquet will include many Berkeley residents, among those making reservations thus far being Dr. and Mrs. Ray Lyman Wilbur of Stanford, Professor and Mrs. Henry H. Hatfield of the University of California, the former representing President David P. Barrows; Dr. Aurelia Henry Reinhardt of Mills College, Miss Yost, dean of women at Stanford, took a doctor's degree at Michigan; Judge Bardin of Salinas, Judge Beasley of San Jose, Mrs. Cassie Montague Gray and Miss Ada Hillman of Oakland, Mrs. Frank Kiesberger of Berkeley, Mrs. A. O. Leuschner, Professor and Mrs. Charles Mills Gayley, Dr. and Mrs. Alexis F. Lange and others of Berkeley.

The Michigan committee for the entertainment of Dr. Burton are Frank L. Sizer of San Francisco, president of the Michigan alumni in the bay section; H. H. Huebel of San Francisco, secretary; Dr. Burton; Cleveland Dodge, chairman of the banquet; Mrs. C. W. Whitney of Berkeley, head of the reception committee; Mrs. C. A. Orbanum of Oakland; Mrs. A. O. Leuschner, Berkeley; Leaman Pierce of Burlingame, Dr. A. H. Nobbs of the University of California; and Mrs. Max West of Berkeley are representing the Minnesota graduates.

MARY GARDEN IS ILL IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Miss Mary Garden, director of the Chicago Grand Opera Company, is ill in bed, threatened with pneumonia, and her physician has given positive orders that she is to remain in her room indefinitely.

As a result of her illness Miss Garden has cancelled all her singing engagements indefinitely. She was scheduled to appear in "Salome" this evening, but a substitute will take the role.

Miss Garden has been working unusually hard since the opening season under way. She has gone without sleep, eaten irregularly, dashed hither and yon through the cold and draught opera house, settling numerous and important matters between the stars, attended meetings of the directors, rehearsed constantly and now is paying the price.

Thursday, after a particularly hard day and night, she was wringing wet with perspiration and contracted a heavy cold that now threatens to run into something serious. Her physician says there is no immediate danger, providing she remains quietly in bed and dismisses all thought of the opera company. Those who know Miss Garden best believe this will be a hard order for her to obey.



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Plymouth Congregational Is
Thronged at Memorial for
Civic Leader.

Friends of the late Arthur Arlett, former president of the State Bar, and social and civic leader in civic and social welfare movements, thronged Plymouth Congregational church last night to pay tribute to his memory. Arlett was an active member in the church in which the services were held, and was largely responsible for the construction of the valuable religious plant, which carries out the idea of the community center.

Former associates of Arlett offered eulogies. Chester Rowell, state railroad commissioner, spoke in tribute to his friend's public activities. Joseph H. King, president of the Chamber of Commerce, with whom Arlett was associated as director, reviewed his business activities. Organization of the Public Welfare League of Alameda County by Arlett was outlined by Lawrence Moore.

Rev. Albert W. Palmer, former pastor of Plymouth church, and now resident of the Hawaiian Islands, where Arlett's death occurred on November 15, wrote a memorial poem to his friend, which was read by Rev. Charles Kloss, pastor of the church. Prayer was offered by Dr. Rudolph J. Coffey, Rabbi of Temple Sinai. Special music was rendered. Arlett was a leader of the prohibition forces in California. He was a director in the Central National Bank of this city. During the Panama Pacific Exposition he served as a state fair commissioner. In 1912 he was a delegate to the Progressive National convention in Chicago. Arlett was 47 years old.

Plague and War To Rock World, Astrology Says

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—The year 1926 is destined to shake the world to its foundation, both physically and politically. It is to be a succession of plagues, famines, floods, shipwrecks, rioting and revolution. So says the British Journal of Astrology, which has drawn the horoscope for that year, when the planets Mars and Mercury will be in conjunction.

Six years later the great Armageddon is to take place. It will be a final conflict between Mohammedanism, allied with Bolshevism, against the united Anglo-Saxon world. It will end in an "Industrial peace" in 1932, but there will be so few of us left and we shall all be so tired that peace should happen anyhow," the horoscope says.

Consolidated Fuel Co.

The defunct wooden shipyards are still making their influence felt in the fuel business of Oakland. Some of the best fuel supplied to the people of Rockridge-Clairemont consists of the well-seasoned pine and fir blocks saved from ship and shipyard timbers. These blocks not only make good fireplaces and hold the heat well, but they can be cut into a first-class kindling and stove wood, for which they are well adapted.

W. G. Osborn and C. H. Stearns of Consolidated Fuel and Building Material Company are supplying a great deal of this excellent wood to homes of Rockridge-Clairemont. Their Rockridge plant at 5332 College avenue is well located to render service in this section, and they are endeavoring to build a reputation for immediate deliveries. They handle a full line of coal, briquettes and the various woods, including pine, fir, live and white oak and eucalyptus.

Texas Bakery

The name "Texas" always attracts, but this is not the main reason the Texas Bakery entertains the stream of callers that enters its doors daily. Texas bread, rolls and other bakery goods have been known in the Bay region so long for their home-made taste that the name has acquired a new local significance.

Max Hehn, the proprietor, exercises personal supervision over all baking of "Texas" goods. He is one of the old-time bakers with whom quality is the first consideration. He believes firmly in the future of Rockridge, and is an enthusiastic booster for the entire section of the city in which he is located.

Miles, Cleaners, Dyers

Miles Cleaners, dyers and tailors, were established in Rockridge five years ago. The present management took charge of the business two years ago. Since that time there has been a rapid growth in custom for this firm. They dye, clean and renovate all classes of men's and women's wear and furnishings. They claim to have developed the largest suburban cleaning and dyeing business between Oakland and Berkeley.

Prosperity in Rockridge—Clairemont District

Business, Beauty Abound In Rockridge-Clairemont

Twenty years ago Rockridge and Clairemont were farm land and, for the most part, a quiet suburb. Today they are a busy, thriving community. The Rockridge of today holds a few scattered businesses, but the Clairemont of today is a different story. The Clairemont automobile accessory store, branch of the Broadway house, has been a success story. The Clairemont automobile accessory store, branch of the Broadway house, has been a success story.

Another institution of great importance throughout Oakland which has established a branch in Rockridge is the Skaggs group of local stores. The Friedman automobile accessory store, branch of the Broadway house, has been a success story. The Clairemont automobile accessory store, branch of the Broadway house, has been a success story.

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Until very recently, residence growth in Rockridge-Clairemont had far outstripped that of the business houses of the district. The demand for a local supply of all kinds of goods kept forcing an increase of local business, which has resulted in the erection of a new store building. A year or so ago a large number of business men began to be impressed with the possibility of a new business center in the Clairemont section.

Aside from transportation, the greatest single factor in establishing Rockridge as a permanent business center was the construction of the magnificent playhouse known as the Chimes theater, completed in October of this year at a total cost of about \$200,000. Both principals in the Beach-Krahn Amusement company are men of mature judgment in business affairs and particularly that of motion picture display. The erection of the Chimes at this time upon the property of this community center of business activity.

H. L. Beach of the Beach-Krahn Amusement Company and manager of the new Chimes Theater, is one of the best-known figures among the pastime motion picture exhibitors. A pioneer in business, Beach joined with Will Krahn many years ago in organizing the Beach-Krahn Company, which now owns three large theaters. Beach, in discussing film plays, said:

"In moving pictures as ever, my answer is an emphatic 'yes.' You will see this demonstrated where the best pictures are shown. The result of the showing of these better pictures will be the presentation of marvelous productions on a scale never dreamed of, and best of all these productions will come to the regular movie house, at popular prices."

The experience of the producer has been that the big productions shown in the legitimate theater at \$1 and \$2 have not been the success that would have attended these pictures in regular "movie" houses at popular prices. I have always found the public generous and willing to pay a fair price for amusement. With the education of the public there will be a natural demand for better pictures. The season of 1922 will see fewer, but better motion pictures. Financial success awaits the theater and producers that can make these "better pictures."

Our success has been built upon serving the public with the best. The result is that we have been able to build into these different localities the best suburban theaters that can be found in any city.

Worthy of particular attention is the unique and attractive little store recently opened by Mme. Edith French. Store, however, is too formal a designation. It is really a combination of studio and drawing room, dignified but inviting—rarely seen and the wholehearted from shop window and entrance to pendant decoration on the little door through which trips the dainty Madame, is one that reflects ability, personality and a study of pleasing effects.

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Abernethy, Auto Expert

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Friedman Auto Supply Co.

of the corner of College and Clairemont as an automobile center and had the money, courage and ability to back it up.

The building he erected is a decided credit to Clairemont, and it houses a number of successful car mechanics who cater to the needs of car owners. Although a man of long mechanical experience in Oakland, Abernethy came to Clairemont from Berkeley and naturally brought good trade from the college city with him. Lyon Fireproof Warehouses, on the other hand, came from Oakland, adding to their chain of modern warehouses the new one on Clairemont near College in which are stored the goods of patrons living in or interested in Clairemont, Rockridge and the general vicinity.

In addition to these major institutions, Clairemont prides itself on an exceptionally fine class of small stores catering to the very best class of trade. It undoubtedly has a future growth in store that will far exceed the showing of the past and will extend its influence all the way from Alcatraz to the Rockridge border with an unbroken line of successful and creditable stores.

Fernwood Ranch Dairy

Antone Campomenosi, proprietor and manager of the Fernwood Ranch Dairy, was in the European war on day, but it upset his business plans for a period of two years. He and his older brother were formerly associated in the conduct of this business. The brother was drafted first, and when it came Antone's turn, the war was over, but the army authorities were not informed of the fact, so they drafted him on November 11, 1918, Armistice Day. Of course Campomenosi had made strenuous efforts to dispose of his business to the best advantage and had given a liberal lease for two years on the entire plant, which did not return to his possession till December 1, 1920.

When Campomenosi began business in the present location, twenty-seven years ago, he herded and milked the cows in the area now occupied by the dairy building and neighboring homes. Today the milk is brought in from the country daily, and distributed throughout the Rockridge residence and business section.

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Van Pelt, Pioneer Painter

A. Van Pelt is the pioneer painter of Rockridge. He opened his first store in the present location six years ago. When the new block was built, in which he now does business, it was with one exception the only business structure in Rockridge. His paint and wall-paper business was grown steadily with the increased building in the neighborhood. Van Pelt believes in keeping the good will of his customers by service, and that is probably the reason that his business is mostly with those who live in Rockridge and Clairemont and know the kind of work he does.

Rockridge Wicker Works

An interesting and unique institution of Rockridge is the Rockridge Wicker Works, operated by Peter Echus at 5244 College avenue. Here are manufactured all the various articles of comfort and conveniences to which wicker-work is so well adapted. This is the only wicker work store or factory in Rockridge, or anywhere on College avenue. Echus has been making wicker furniture ten years in Los Angeles, Sacramento and other California cities. He established the Rockridge factory in February, 1921, and has done a well-merited and successful business from the start.

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Willard Station

According to R. G. Landis, popular manager of the Willard station at College and Clairemont, there are more than two thousand registered motor car owners in that immediate vicinity who are in a position to be benefited by the establishment of the "auto corner."

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Skaggs' Store The new Skaggs store in Rockridge, with its inviting appearance, courteous service and well-displayed goods, is a worthy example of good merchandising policy on which the operation of this group of Oakland stores is based. This policy may be briefly expressed in terms of dependable goods, courteous service and low price.

Scott & Jackson Scott and Jackson, old-time real estate dealers at 5927 College avenue, have unbroken families of stores of Clairemont and Rockridge business centers, because of the extensive and attractive home districts which surround them and naturally contribute to their continued growth and development.

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TWO GANGSTER LEADERS MUST SERVE 50 YEARS

Prison Board Fixes Murphy and Kravosky Punishment At Full Term.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—Sentences of fifty years each, the maximum, were finally meted out today to Edmund ("Spud") Murphy and Edward ("K. O.") Kravosky, members of the notorious Howard street gang, convicted a year ago of having leading parts in the attack on Jean Stanley and Jess Montgomery. It became known today that the sentences were definitely fixed by members of the State Board of Prison Directors under the indeterminate sentence law.

The five members of the board voted unanimously for a full sentence after carefully reviewing the records and transcripts of the trials in San Francisco, following the attack, which occurred Thanksgiving morning of last year at the shack, 1256 1/2 Howard street. The sentencing came as a surprise to many who believed that the board would show leniency because of the reported good conduct of the convicted gangsters during their stay at San Quentin. Several attorneys have been made recently to secure their parole.

Under the provisions of the indeterminate sentence law, the cases came yesterday before the prison board for final sentence. The cases of Allen, McDonnell and James Carey, also convicted in the same case, probably will come up next April. Thomas Brady, another member of the gang, is at present serving time in the county jail pending an appeal of his case.

Murphy was convicted before Superior Judge Louis H. Ward December 20, 1920, and was sentenced from one to fifty years in prison. Kravosky was given the same sentence on December 31, 1920.

Over \$2500 Is Raised for Hospital Christmas Fund

Additional subscriptions to the County Hospital Christmas fund have raised the total to more than \$2500, according to County Auditor E. F. Garrison, treasurer of the general committee in charge of raising the fund. This is the largest Christmas fund ever raised for this purpose, Garrison believes.

The County Hospital Christmas fund is designed to provide toys for the forty tubercular children at Arroyo Sanitarium at Livermore, and Christmas entertainment for those children and the 600 other patients at the San Leandro county hospital. Men and women of every walk in life, of all the businesses and professions in Oakland and Alameda county are represented in the subscriptions to the fund, which now totals \$2,581.37.

A partial list of subscribers to the fund follows:

The following donations to the fund have been made:

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AAHME TEMPLE TO BE HOST TO WAR VETERANS

Dinner by Shriners to Be Attended by 350 Disabled Soldiers.

Three hundred and fifty ex-soldiers, members of Federal Vocational Training Board, and disabled during the World War, will park their feet under tables at Ahme Temple Saturday night, and gorge themselves with turkey and all the trimmings. The event will be the annual Christmas dinner to be given to the disabled war heroes by Ahme Temple, Ancient Arabic Order of the Mystic Shrine.

Already the committee in charge of the affair has been assured of an almost 100 per cent attendance by disabled war veterans enrolled with the training board. A complete Christmas dinner, from soup to nuts, including turkey and other tempting viands, will be placed before the former service men for consumption. Following the dinner, which will start promptly at 7:30 o'clock, there will be an elaborate program of entertainment, which will be presented under the direction of Larry Lund, chairman of the entertainment committee. This program will consist of professional vaudeville acts, vocal and instrumental music, and other features.

Ahme Temple gave their first dinner to the disabled veterans last Christmas, and the affair proved to be such a success and was appreciated by the guests to such an extent, that it was decided to make the affair an annual event. It is predicted that this Christmas dinner will be even more successful than last year's.

ASK THE TRIBUNE Bureau Information

Numerous queries and corrections have come in with regard to the spelling of the name "Muscle" in TRIBUNE readers. In their corrections, suggest that it should be spelled "Muscle Shoals." Muscle Shoals, however, is the accepted spelling, according to the Standard Atlas of the World, authoritative gazetteers, and the postal guide.

Here is another query from a TRIBUNE reader:

"The blanks may be obtained at the American Legion headquarters, 306 Twelfth street, Oakland. They are ready for distribution."

The TRIBUNE Information Bureau will answer all questions of a general nature except school or legal problems, debates, trade and firm names and queries as to the time of day.

The bureau is open every day except Sunday from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. If answers are desired by mail, stamps must be enclosed. Quick responses will be obtained by telephoning to the bureau. If you have any problems of a general nature to solve ask THE TRIBUNE Information Bureau, Lakeside 6000.

SERVES MASONS HALF CENTURY

Each year for fifty years, Walter Walker has been installed as organizer of Oakland Lodge No. 158 I and A. M. His most recent installation took place Saturday evening and it is thought, establishes a record for long office among the fraternal organizations.

Walker has been a prominent figure in civic and social life for twenty-five years he served as secretary to the Merchants' Exchange and is now advisor to the president of the organization. He is a well-known figure at every meeting of the city council and has taken active part in the work of the country development board.

WATER HEATER BLOWS UP; MAN LOSES HIS BATH

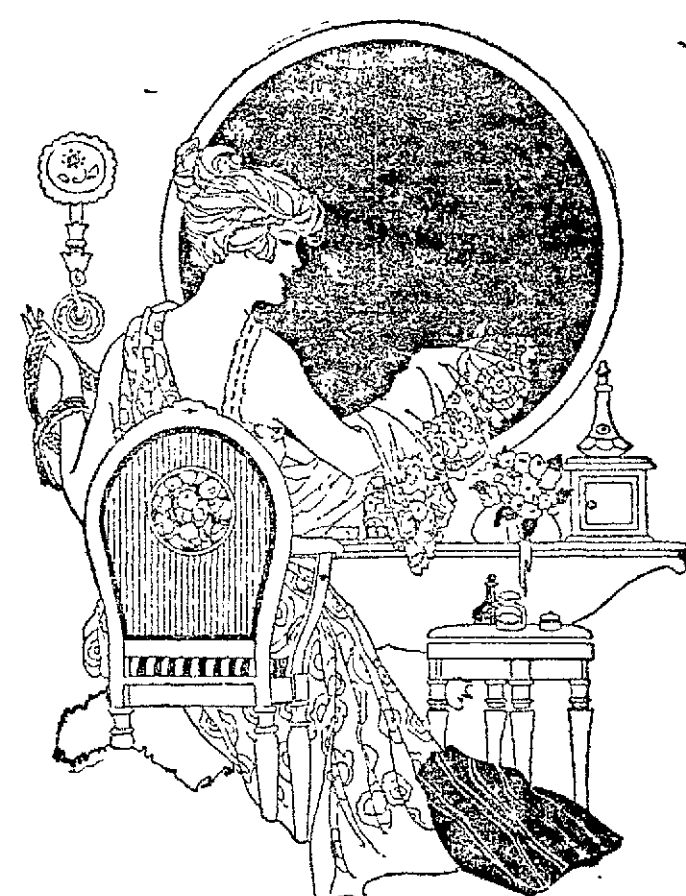
ALAMEDA, Dec. 18.—A. G. Burns, 1414 Court street, lost his bath Saturday night because of a defective gas heater. Instead he entertained the fire department. The change of plan was occasioned by the fact that the valve of the heater dropped out. The escaping gas caught fire and sent a flame of three feet length flaring into the kitchen. An alarm was turned in and the fire department responded. No damage was done by the blaze.

Berkeley Bootlegger Is Given 30 Days

BERKELEY, Dec. 18.—For attempting to furnish others with Christmas cheer in the form of moonshine whisky Vincent Bisbigh, 52, carpenter of 2340 Eighth street, will spend the holiday season in the county jail. Bisbigh was sentenced to 30 days' imprisonment by Judge Robert Edgar after he had entered a plea of guilty to a charge of selling liquor to employees at the Karsch Manufacturing company. Bisbigh was arrested on complaint of Charles M. Boynton, manager of the plant who told the police that bootleggers were so thick in the factory district that his men could not do their work.

13 Edens Left

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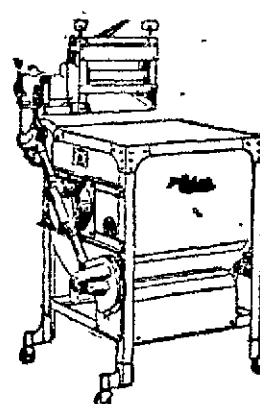
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Full swinging wringer, adjustable to five different positions. Pure zinc cylinder, light and easy to handle. Armco iron body.

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Only a few days until Christmas! Make your gift selections quickly

There are still many attractive pieces of Rattan at this store from which to choose. These pieces will make delightfully pleasing gifts. Come in today to see them.

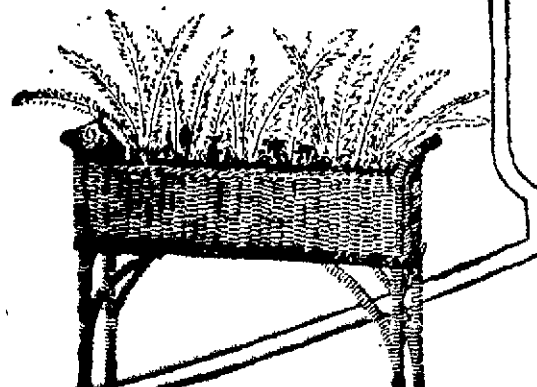
Desks	\$35.00 up
Fern Stands	16.50 up
Portable Electric Lamps	15.00 up
Fernieres	16.50 up
Smoking Stands	10.00 up
Bird Cages	8.00 up
Tea Wagons	35.00 up
Tea Trays	2.00 up
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Many miscellaneous pieces are also on display—all at direct-from-the-factory prices.

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Benefit Is Planned For Sunday-School

Elaborate plans are being made for a dinner and entertainment in the assembly room of the Synagogue on Monday night. The treasury of the Sunday-school will benefit from the function which will observe a Jewish holiday devoted to children. Covers will be laid for 250 guests.

Professional talent will contribute the after-dinner program, which is being arranged by a committee including Mrs. J. F. Daube, Mrs. T. Levy, Mrs. Robert Samuels and Mrs. Martin Marks. Mrs. Levy will be heard in cantillation.

Morris Schneider is general chairman for the benefit. Mrs. George Lavenson is chairman of the dinner committee.

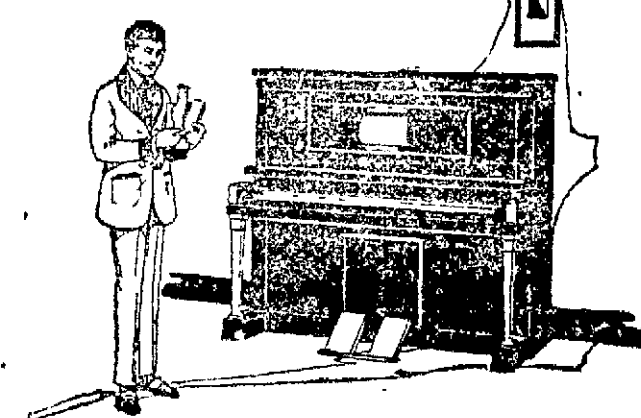
Hanlon Awarded Dredge Contract

The city council this morning awarded to E. E. Hanlon the contract for rebuilding the big municipal dredger and passed to print an ordinance establishing an official dog pound and establishing the office of poundmaster, assistant and clerk.

The council decided to pay the society for the Prevention of Cruelty to animals the salary as poundmaster to date.

The position of one additional electrical inspector was created, and council heard a petition asking that the Traction Company be made to pave its East Fourteenth street tracks between Eighty-third and Ninetieth avenues.

PATROLMAN PROMOTED
BERKELEY, Dec. 18.—Patrolman Frank Seala, formerly officer in the United States intelligence service during the war, today promoted to an acting sergeant in the Berkeley police department to take the place of Sergeant W. W. Curtis, resigned.



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MY FAVORITE STORIES

by IRVIN S. COBB
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A noted lawyer down in Texas, who labored under the defects of having a high temper and of being deaf, was trying a case in a courtroom presided over by a younger man, for whom the older practitioner had a small opinion.

Presently in an argument over a motion there was a clash between the lawyer and judge. The judge ordered the lawyer to sit down, and as the lawyer, being deaf, didn't hear him and went on talking, the judge fined him \$10 for contempt of court.

The lawyer leaned toward the clerk and cupped his hand behind his ear.

"What did he say?" he inquired.

"He fined you \$10," explained the clerk.

"For what?"

"For contempt of this court," said the clerk.

The lawyer shot a poisonous look toward the bench and reached a hand into his pocket.

"I'll pay it now," he said. "It's a just debt!"

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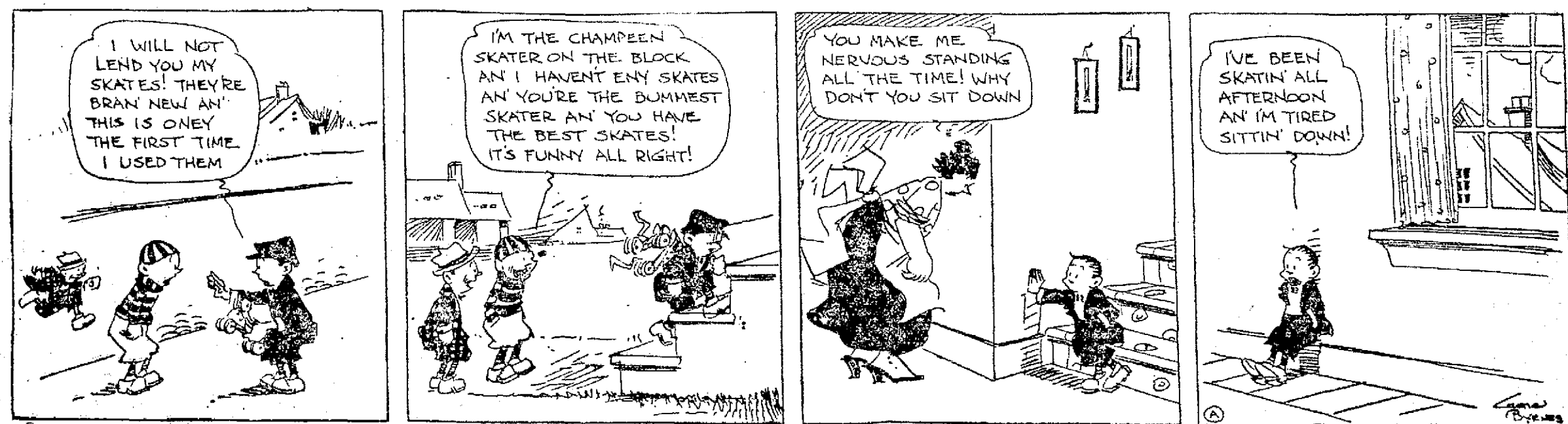
MINUTE MOVIES

BY WHEELAN



REG'LAR FELLERS

BY GENE BYRNES



McEVOYS COMIC STRIP

Gwan-to-Bed Stories

Santa Claus and the Reindeer Union.

ONCE upon a time, dear children, Santa Claus, of whom you have possibly heard, was getting ready for his annual jaunt over the house tops with a large assortment of candy and toys. (Johnny, get off the piano.)

All the candy consisted of nice little chocolate covered indigestion drops and large sticks of striped dyspepsia. The toys were purposely designed to break at the slightest provocation; some of them had time fuses so set as to go all to pieces promptly at ten o'clock Christmas day. So Santa Claus, all prepared for his regular trip, called for his eight reindeers. "Well, old things," says he, "we're off."

"Yes," says the reindeers, "we are off. You are off your base. We are off of you."

"Oh, ho!" says Santa Claus.

"Oh ho yourself," says the reindeers in chorus.

"Is this insubordination?" says Santa Claus.

"No, it is merely a trade union," replied Theophilus Reindeer, who was the leader of the gang. "We have formed the Reindeer Union. We refuse to work any more unless our demands are met."

"Well, what are your demands?" replied Santa Claus.

"We don't know yet," said Theophilus Reindeer, and he turned to his fellow members of the Reindeer Union, North Pole Local Number 1. "Have we any demands?"

"Yes, we want double pay and we don't want to work," they replied in chorus. (Dorothy, what is the baby doing on top of the house?)

Santa Claus considered. "What are you getting now?" he asked.

"Nothing," replied the reindeers.

"Would you consider half as much again?"

"No," replied the reindeers in a thundering chorus.

"I can't afford to do it," said Santa Claus, "but if I must, I will. I will double your pay."

The reindeers put their heads together in conference. After a long discussion they agreed. "Now how about our working hours? As it is we have an eight-hour year. This is entirely too much work. We want this reduced to one hour a year and half an hour leap years. What's the use of spending so much time leaving presents at houses where children have everything? That's dumb-bell."

"Maybe you are right," said Santa Claus. "I never thought about that."

"Well," says Theophilus Reindeer, "if you agree to let us stop only at houses where children haven't anything and need us, we will work sixteen hours a year. Otherwise we cut it to an hour."

"That's right," all the reindeers shouted in chorus, "hurrah for Theophilus Reindeer!"

"I think you are right," replied Santa Claus. "Hurrah for Theophilus Reindeer!"

And that's what I say—"Hurrah for Theophilus Reindeer!" Gwan to bed.

Chips on the Block

by Robert Quillen

Civilization: The art of making life complicated. The only discordant note in the holiday season is the one that falls due on January 1.

Remorse: The quality that reminds you of a mortgage every time you see a filling station.

When the husband begins to find fault, the wife always suspects that he has found another woman.

The part of hell that isn't paved with good intentions probably is paved with war inventions.

An annual conference at Washington would help some, but we can't all go into the hotel business.

An economist has figured it out that a wife is worth \$2.69 a day. The nine cents is doubtless the luxury tax.

The trouble with the average reformer is that he doesn't know the difference between a reformer and a common scold.

As a child he likes an all-day smoker; but in later years he prefers one that he can trim quickly.

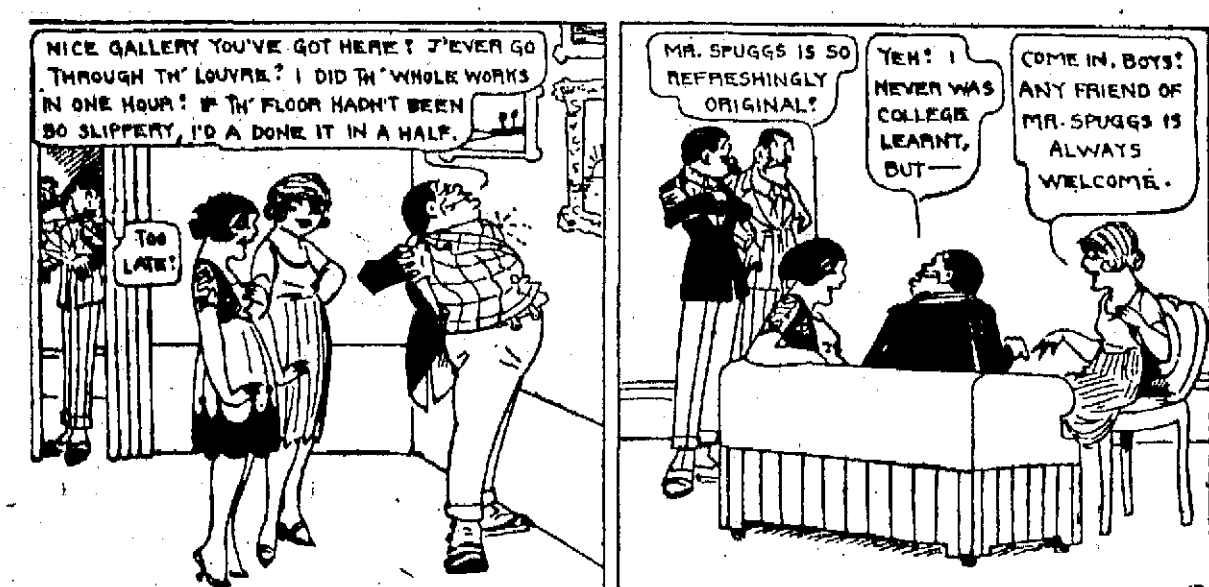
Once in a while you meet a man who can talk for an hour without mentioning the kind of underwear he wears in winter.

An orator has an easier time than a writer. When he hasn't much to say, he can yell it loud enough to get away with it.

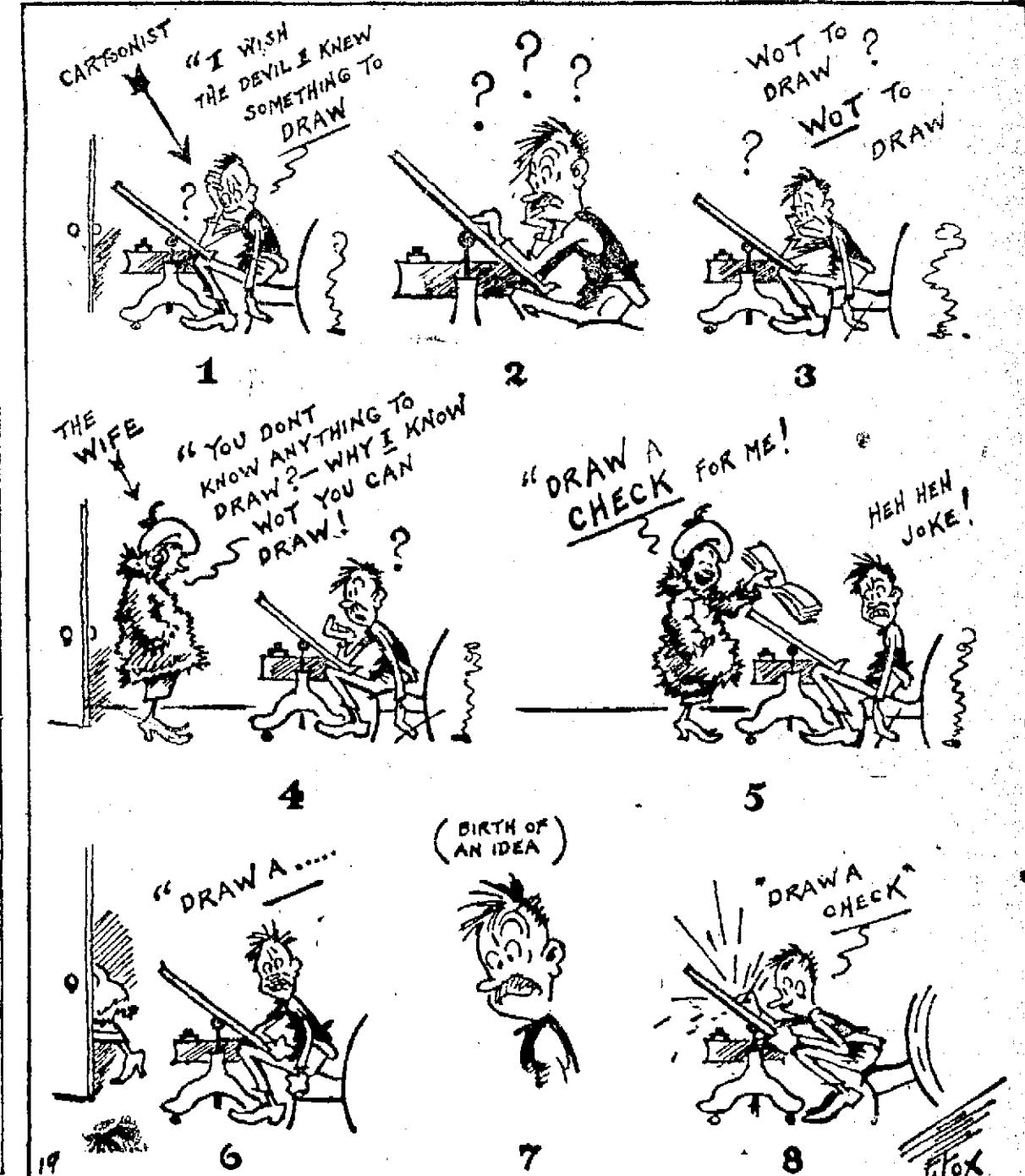
After we preserve the Far Eastern markets for America, the next step will be to get American business men interested in them.

If we admit that war in a good cause is righteous, nations will always keep a few good causes on hand for use in an emergency.

PERCY Spuggy Unknowingly Makes a Hit By MacGILL



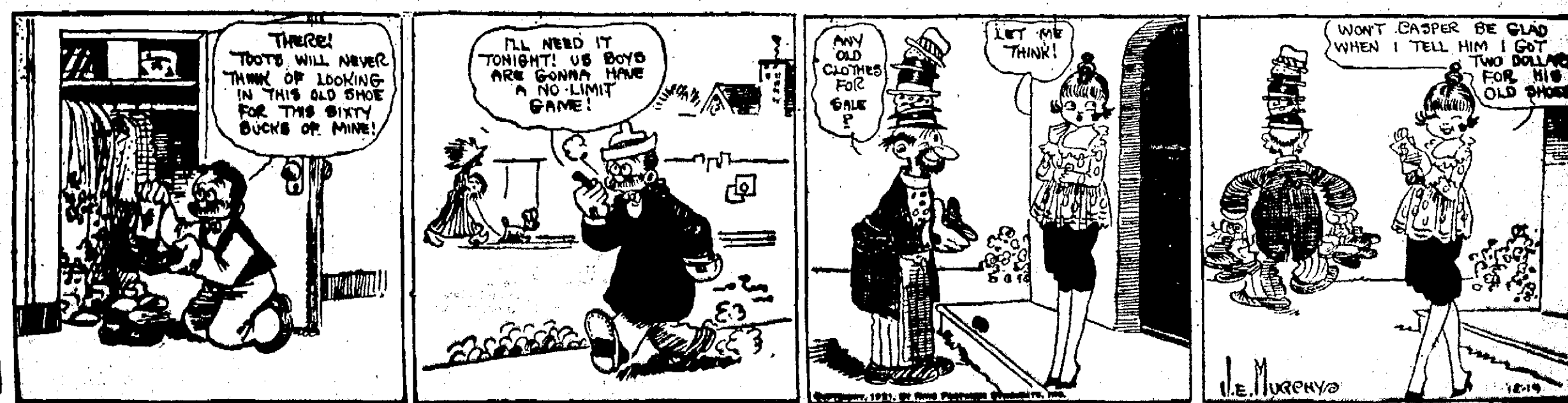
LIFE The Cartoonist's Wife Helps Him Get An Idea. By FOX



TOOTS AND CASPER

This Means No Game For Gasper.

BY MURPHY



1221 Broadway, Oakland

ALLENDALE, MELROSE, OAKLAND N. S. G. W. LEAD CLASS 'B' RACES

HAYWARD NATIVES PULL NILES VICTORY MOTORS FROM LEAD IN CALIFORNIA CLASS 'B' RACE

CHAMPIONSHIP ALMOST IN GRASP OF SEVERAL TRIBUNE LEAGUE CLUBS

Victory of Hayward N in Over Niles Motors Brings Tie in California Race.

By EDDIE MURPHY

For twelve consecutive hours, from 7 o'clock Saturday night until Sunday morning, Jupiter Pluvius paid a visit to the Eastbay cities, but the old boy could not kill the spirit of the amateur ballplayers who are striving for honors in the OAKLAND TRIBUNE Midwinter League, and while operations in other leagues about the bay were practically at a standstill, nineteen of the twenty-six games scheduled in the TRIBUNE League were played. Twenty games would have been played but for the fact that five of the members of the Delphi Club in the Class "B" League were in an automobile accident while returning from a basketball game at San Jose Saturday night, necessitating a couple of them having to be removed to a hospital. Of the six games postponed, five of them were scheduled for the morning, and the seventh between the Fruitvale N. S. G. W. and Mel Anderson Clothiers was to start at noon. Still some of the boys managed to get in their ticks in the morning, starting play only a couple of hours after Jupiter Pluvius made his departure.

It takes just such conditions as yesterday's let the boys know what the amateur ball players are not for. They are out to play the game because they like it, and the thing like damp baseball grounds and mud puddles is not going to keep them from playing. The slowness of some of the fields due to the heavy downpour of rain, muddy bases and exciting games, however, put over a win. Next Sunday afternoon the Niles Motors and Twenty-two Merchants were to have played the twenty-third game of the season, but the rain was too much for them, and the game was postponed. The final two games for the Hayward Natives will be with the St. Francis and Del Monte. The director of the league, Louis, had to say yesterday.

American Flag for Poplars, Calatones or Allendale.

Surprises were not very much in order in the Tribune Midwinter League, nor are the followers of the Class A League any wiser as to who the winners will be than they were yesterday morning before the games were played. The Allendale Merchants and Maxwell Hardware were the favorites in their positions in the American division by coming through with victories. The Poplars, however, led their side of the Del Monte without the aid of Bill Plummer at the Calatone park. Also, the Calatone Water boys continued to round the two leaders of the American race, as they just tossed out the Clements. The argument for the championship in the American division has practically been cut out of the Allendale Merchants. Poplar Candy Store and Calatone Water, as the Mel Anderson Clothiers, are the two teams that are four full games behind the leaders, and they have but five more to play.

Grand Old Argument for The National Championship.

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Western Electrics Look Like the Champions.

Class B race are finding just as much fun in the race as the Class A. The Western Electrics continued their drive to the championship by defeating the Chevrolet Motors in one of the greatest games ever played at the Calatone park. The game was a real thriller, with the Western Electrics leading for most of the game, but the Chevrolet Motors fought back and tied the game in the ninth inning. The Western Electrics won in the tenth inning on a home run by Bill Plummer. The game was a real thriller, with the Western Electrics leading for most of the game, but the Chevrolet Motors fought back and tied the game in the ninth inning. The Western Electrics won in the tenth inning on a home run by Bill Plummer. The game was a real thriller, with the Western Electrics leading for most of the game, but the Chevrolet Motors fought back and tied the game in the ninth inning. The Western Electrics won in the tenth inning on a home run by Bill Plummer.

Hayward N. S. Pull Niles Motors From the Lead.

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Poplar Candy Boys Trample On Del Montes

Packers No. 6 Go Down to Defeat; Errors Behind Ezetti Do It.

Bill Ezetti, the twirler from Napa, again pitched a fine game, this time against the Poplar Candy Store, but his teammates kept up their swash-banging session, so Ezetti had to be satisfied with a 5 to 3 defeat charged up against him. Ezetti allowed the heavy hitting Kandy Kids to score four runs in the first inning, but he kept them from scoring more than three runs in the rest of the game. The Napa twirler fanned seven.

In the first inning the Kandy Kids put over three tallies with four hits and a few errors. Ezetti worked still harder and for the rest of the battle the Poplars were only able to gather three hits off his delivery. One each in the fifth, sixth and eighth gave the Poplars their three tallies, and Ezetti being the twirler, the Niles Motors were not able to come through with any more tallies. Ezetti's twirler was a real pitcher, and his teammates made two mistakes each. G. Viani and Gallagher were the twirlers for the winners and their twirler Ezetti came in handy in putting over the game.

POPULAR CANDY DEL MONTE NO. 6

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Lyons	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
G. Viani	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nelson	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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Eddie Nelson Did Not Need Resin Ball to Win.

It was not necessary to have any detectives out at Hayward yesterday to catch the boys who were pulling the resin ball. Eddie Nelson did not need a resin ball to win. He pitched a fine game, and his teammates did the rest of the work. The game was a real thriller, with the Hayward Natives leading for most of the game, but the Niles Motors fought back and tied the game in the ninth inning. The Hayward Natives won in the tenth inning on a home run by Bill Plummer. The game was a real thriller, with the Hayward Natives leading for most of the game, but the Niles Motors fought back and tied the game in the ninth inning. The Hayward Natives won in the tenth inning on a home run by Bill Plummer.

Bill Barnard's Double Paves Way for Hayward Victory.

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MEL ANDERSON'S BOYS ARE HUSTLERS

Although their chances of winning the pennant are very slim, as a result of the Poplars and Allendales winning their games in the American division yesterday, the Mel Anderson Clothiers can be depended upon to out hustle and making the leaders fight from now on until the finish. Manager Jack (Doc) Silvey, who happened to be absent when this picture was taken, says: "We are not counted out of it yet, and we are going to prove it to the wide world." The players in the picture are: Left to right (back row), Allan Corbett, Ben Goldman, "Duck" McNeil, Clarence "Lefty" Sprinkle, Walter Grinniman and Arnold Jerome. Front row, Nick Goldman, Abe Rubin, Babe Hansen and Norman Vandinas.



Oakland N. S. Hammer a Win Over Alameda

Phillips Pitches a Great Game to Keep Natives in National Race.

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Calatones Win From Clements In Close Game

Hafey, McClintock Hook Up in a Nifty Pitching Duel.

The Calatone Water boys retained their lead in the American division of the Class A League yesterday when they picked the Clements for a pickup and sent the team to a defeat. The game was a real thriller, with the Calatone Water leading for most of the game, but the Clements fought back and tied the game in the ninth inning. The Calatone Water won in the tenth inning on a home run by Bill Plummer. The game was a real thriller, with the Calatone Water leading for most of the game, but the Clements fought back and tied the game in the ninth inning. The Calatone Water won in the tenth inning on a home run by Bill Plummer.

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The Calatone Water boys retained their lead in the American division of the Class A League yesterday when they picked the Clements for a pickup and sent the team to a defeat. The game was a real thriller, with the Calatone Water leading for most of the game, but the Clements fought back and tied the game in the ninth inning. The Calatone Water won in the tenth inning on a home run by Bill Plummer. The game was a real thriller, with the Calatone Water leading for most of the game, but the Clements fought back and tied the game in the ninth inning. The Calatone Water won in the tenth inning on a home run by Bill Plummer.

Oak Art Pottery Wins in Tigt Game With Trout Flies

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Kushners Retain Lead in 'C' League

The Kushners Shoe Club, leaders in the TRIBUNE Class C League, retained their lead yesterday by defeating the Zenith Motors. The game was a real thriller, with the Kushners leading for most of the game, but the Zenith Motors fought back and tied the game in the ninth inning. The Kushners won in the tenth inning on a home run by Bill Plummer. The game was a real thriller, with the Kushners leading for most of the game, but the Zenith Motors fought back and tied the game in the ninth inning. The Kushners won in the tenth inning on a home run by Bill Plummer.

Allendales Battle Neptunes to a Tie

Speaking of running true to tops, even soccer games do it. Allendale Merchants and the Neptunes played a 1-1 tie yesterday at Washington park. Before the game it was impossible to pick a winner, as the Allendales were evenly matched. The game was a real thriller, with the Allendales leading for most of the game, but the Neptunes fought back and tied the game in the ninth inning. The Allendales won in the tenth inning on a home run by Bill Plummer. The game was a real thriller, with the Allendales leading for most of the game, but the Neptunes fought back and tied the game in the ninth inning. The Allendales won in the tenth inning on a home run by Bill Plummer.

Centre Team Leaves Denver Coming West

Denver, Dec. 10.—"Bob" McMillan and the twenty-seven other members of the Centre College eleven, who were on the last leg of their journey to San Diego, Calif., where they will play Arizona tomorrow, were here yesterday. The team was in good condition and was expected to win the game.

Wesco Giants Tighen Hold On Leadership

Just Do Trim Chevrolets in One of Tightest Games of Season.

The Western Electric Giants increased their lead in the pennant race in the Western division of the TRIBUNE B League by nailing out the Chevrolet Motors by a score of 8 to 7. Matthews started in the hill for the Wescos, but had to retire in the first inning. The Chevrolet Motors started in the hill for the Wescos, but had to retire in the first inning. The game was a real thriller, with the Wesco Giants leading for most of the game, but the Chevrolet Motors fought back and tied the game in the ninth inning. The Wesco Giants won in the tenth inning on a home run by Bill Plummer. The game was a real thriller, with the Wesco Giants leading for most of the game, but the Chevrolet Motors fought back and tied the game in the ninth inning. The Wesco Giants won in the tenth inning on a home run by Bill Plummer.

Ninth Frame Rainy Gives Melrose a Win

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Whealans Are Held to Four Hits, Two Runs by Dick Arlett.

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Fiorio & Figone Hardware Holds Onto Top Run

The Florio & Figone Hardware ball team kept their tight hold on the top run of the Eastern division by defeating the Zenith Motors yesterday. The game was a real thriller, with the Florio & Figone Hardware leading for most of the game, but the Zenith Motors fought back and tied the game in the ninth inning. The Florio & Figone Hardware won in the tenth inning on a home run by Bill Plummer. The game was a real thriller, with the Florio & Figone Hardware leading for most of the game, but the Zenith Motors fought back and tied the game in the ninth inning. The Florio & Figone Hardware won in the tenth inning on a home run by Bill Plummer.

Look What Dempsey Wants to Do Now

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion, has applied for membership in the newly organized National Sports Alliance, an organization which came into being a week ago, announced the purpose of the alliance is to protect professional sportsmen from the "undesirable" influence of the American Football League.

Dutro's Hound Has Earmarks Of a Champion

By BOB SHAND.

Well, Bob, I hope this letter finds you and the gang from Broadway in the best of health and wishing a Merry Xmas and a Happy New Year, I am, your friend,
JOCKEY LEVY.

ARR H				ARR H			
Roullier, E.	4	0	6	0	0	0	0
Carson, Th.	4	0	1	0	0	0	0
Peter's, Th.	4	0	1	0	0	0	0
Nichols, W.	4	0	1	0	0	0	0
Nielsen, H.	4	1	2	0	0	0	0
DeWard, A.	4	0	1	0	0	0	0
Brown, Jr.	4	0	1	0	0	0	0
Hays, Jr.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Doerflinger, P.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Doerflinger, P.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	1	6	0	0	0	0
Key System	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Base hits	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Grand total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Base hits	1	0	1	0	0	0	0

BOSTON, Dec. 19.—William C. Prout, national president of the American Amateur union, last night announced that he had ordered the expulsion of five Boston members, Loren Murchison and Jackson Scholz were found guilty of charges of having been in the company of them, they will be disciplined. He asserted those responsible for the charges would also be adequately punished.

The schedule for Tuesday night follows:

- Alameda's vs. Fruitvale Parlor
- Zions vs. Alameda.
- Alameda No. 50 vs. Brooklyn
- Boiling auditorium and
- Alameda vs. Piedmont No. 1 at Ballard's, Oakland.
- Athens and Claremont parlors will meet at the Oakland in Oakland next Thursday night.

EASTERN DIVISION.	
RESULTS YESTERDAY.	
R. W. T. Hardware & C. H. Henshaw	10
Park All Stars—No game; wet grounds.	
Florida & Pigeon Hardware 7, Le	
Berrillon Hatters Jrs. 5,	
St. Clair Amputees 3, Pacific Gas	
Electric 3.	
Alameda West End Merchants	
Knights of Pythias 0.	
ENDING OF THE CLUBS.	
Club.	W. L. P.
Alameda W. E. Merchants 10	1 .90
Florida & Pigeon Hdw. 10	1 .90
St. Clair Park Stars 7	7 .70
Key System 7	7 .70
Glen Athletic Club 6	5 .3
R. W. T. Hardware 4	6 .6
Knights of Pythias 3	7 .30
St. Clair Amputees 3	7 .30
Park All Stars 1	9 .10
Fla. Gas & Electric 1	9 .10

6	Twenty-third Avenue Merchants	2	8
11	Del Monte Packers No. 13 3	1	4
3	Oakland Seals No. 2 6	3	1
3	Sodality 5		
STANDING OF THE CLUBS.			
2	Niles Victory Motors	8	2
2	23rd Avenue Merchants	8	2
1	Hayward N. S. G. W.	7	3
1	Telegraph Ave. Merchants	3	6
1	Oakland Seals No. 2	5	5
1	Midland Bakery	4	4
1	Seals Club	3	6
1	K. V. Club	2	7
1	St. Joseph's Sodality	2	7

Coach Smeets of Santa Clara backed his full contingent into winning point after point. The chuck of the Athletic club quintet into camp on the Santa Clara court by a score of 33-12 was the first of the series. The Purple Pickers and marked their last appearance on a local court before their trip to the southern part of the state. They are confident they are to meet the best teams in the south.

Santa Clara's second out bravo, the Agave, soon overcame the same lead piled up by the Oakland five, a settled down to steady basketball. The Agave's last shot, a winning one, came in the form of a point in the last three games, 127 to 1.

The line-ups:

Agave—C.—Dienrich and Fred; forwards, Olafson, center; Lind and Houghton, guards.

Santa Clara—Vukota and Mananah forwards, Morris, center; Fred, Charlie and Toso, guards.

There has been much talk, since the first mention was made of the possibility of California playing Harvard next season, of having the Bears travel to the East for the first game to make the trip. The obstacle in the way of California's going East is purely academic, as the university has no objection to the Bears playing the Blue and Gold any more than Nils Price or Andy Smith. The Bears have a well organized coaching staff and a fine line of players. The change he will retain his present assistants.

Over sixty California is expected to depart for Pasadena Christmas eve, the same school as last year.

As twenty of the men on the squad have their homes in the south, they will be expected to return to school it will give them the day at home. It is expected that the entire squad of twenty will be taken south by Andy Smith.

Showing very poorly yesterday and losing well out of the running. Most of the players were very tired and failed to stretch up on the wire. D. J. Stenham last year's quarterback, was very tired and was only two down to put and leader in the second day. The Bears were very tired and were only two down to put and leader in the second day. The Bears were very tired and were only two down to put and leader in the second day.

With the new club house now open, everything in the place was working. The Bears were very tired and were only two down to put and leader in the second day. The Bears were very tired and were only two down to put and leader in the second day.

in force yesterday and found fine conditions and the course in splendid playing order. Over sixty were served and nothing but a could be heard for the service. The Bears were very tired and were only two down to put and leader in the second day. The Bears were very tired and were only two down to put and leader in the second day.

being allocated by ballot created a mild sensation as even the best players who would have selected them all to themselves. Some of the players who would have selected them all to themselves. Some of the players who would have selected them all to themselves.

night will appeal to the Bears.

by **RING LARDNER**

Dear Brother Charley:
Well Charley since the last time I wrote you a letter I have took 2 lessons from the golf teacher out to the club.
The first thing the teacher told me to do was to stand up and hit the ball off of what they call the tee so he could see what was the matter with me. So I hit the ball but it went off to 1 side. So I says Well what the matter with me. So he says Nothing only you went back too fast and you took your left ft. off of the ground, and you took your eyes off of the ball and you moved your head and you stood too far away from the ball and you didnt take no aim at where you was shootin' at and you tried to kill it and you pulled aways from it like it was a snake or something. So he worked with me a hole hr. just trying to drive the ball off of the tee and when we was through he says I was doing a hole lot better than when I started.
So I took another lesson 1 days after the 1st. and I showed me how to hit them with my brasses and click and masher. So I been practicing and now I got so as I dont never miss the ball no more and I made the 7th, hole the other day in 5 strikes and thats only 2 more strikes than the best of them takes it. Your Brother,
E. A. CROSS

Lead Soccer League

The best that Edgar Romero's Winged "D" soccerists could get was a 1-0 tie at Recreation Park. The Winged "D"s held the lead, 1-0 at the end of the first half. In the last three minutes of play, after a rally of sensational soccer Maurice Hudson of the Barbs tallied and the Winged "D"s won their second victory. The Union Iron Works won the other game on the Recreation lot from the Thistles by a 3-1 count after thirty minutes.

As a result of the defeat the Thistles were shoved down

Bring Own Officials

WASHINGTON, Pa., Dec. 19.—Through the courtesy of California authorities, two eastern officials will be allowed to work in the California-Washington and Jackson games at the Bushong Hotel here today. New Year's day it was announced here today.

Associate Manager Murphy, after a visitation to Chicago, expects to submit a list of officials from which the coast management can select two. Twenty players will comprise the squad, which is to leave Saturday for the east.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 19. — Only two boxing cards staged in Madison Square Garden since the sport was removed have lost money, according to a statement made by Tex Rickard.

ITHACA, Dec. 19. — Some 150 candidates have reported for the wrestling team and Coach Walter O'Connell has discovered some valuable material for the varsity team. The usual schedule of five or six matches has been arranged. Cornell will take part in the annual intercollegiate

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GLAISER MOVES AGAIN.

Mike Figg acting for the Omaha team sold Pitcher Bert Glaiser to Houston. The deal was a straight purchase.

SEATTLE, Dec. 12.—Vernie Hickey of the Washington State College, one of the best ends in the Northwest conference and chosen on the all-coast conference second team will probably enter the state university the coming term, which would make him eligible to play football next fall.

Phone Piedmont 345

Trains for Sacramento and Pittsburg 40th and Shafter Depot 6:25 a. m.; 9:30 a. m.; 11:50 a. m.; 1:30 p. m.; 3:30 p. m.; 5:10 p. m.; 8:30 p. m.

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Dining—Observation car on the

Oakland Sciots No. 2 Slip A Beating to S. J. Sodality Nine

The S. Joseph Sodality met defeat at the hands of the Oakland Sciots No. 2 in a hotly played contest yesterday at the Frutkinde grounds by a score of 5 to 3. But the Sciots were not at all hard, nine being made out of the former and seven of the latter. Bookkeeping club and a small amount of money which happened to be three more than Hurll!

The Sodality had scored two runs in the first, but the Sciots quickly forgot about in the next frame by scoring three times. In the fifth the

baseball he will go into the courts to collect money he has already earned, and there, under the watchful eye of three players can force the commission to hand over the series cash. But such action would end their career in organized baseball.

There are many perplexing angles to the Ruth decision. For instance, if the players are to be paid, the players can play ball on a train trip. Will he confine their ball play to the city? Will he permit these men to participate in exhibition games, where admission is free? Will he let the Yankees make a major league opposition?

The Yanks, after deducting their expenses, cleared about \$100,000 from their train trip last year. Without Ruth as an attraction they could not lose that much. A decision to let the players play exhibition games will start the club off with a loss of \$50,000 before the pennant race

team out over a run which was just
one run shy of tying the score.
Smith was the heavy batter of
the day and his three healthy wal-
lopers helped greatly in the victory.
Gohlz-Rinken and Reckelberg with
Oakland baseball fans will get
at least one more chance to see H.
Miller in action on the Oakland B.
last before the big fellow heads for
East to join the Chicago Cubs. N

ST. JOSEPH				SODALITY			
Clint	3	1	0	Wilson	3	1	0
Ernest	3	1	0	Markey	3	1	0
Seage	1	2	3	Susa	1	5	0
Boysen	1	1	0	Thatcher	4	2	2
Smith	1	0	3	Tracy	3	4	0
Schols	3	0	0	Hickson	3	0	0
Hurl	3	5	0	Reckebag	3	1	2
Totals	15	6	8	Totals	20	25	9
Errors	1	0	0	Errors	1	0	0
Base hits	3	2	1	Base hits	3	2	1
Errors—Clint, Ernest, Seage				Errors—Clint, Ernest, Seage			
Three-base hits—Luchel, Boysen				Three-base hits—Luchel, Boysen			
Two-base hits—Smith, Markey				Two-base hits—Smith, Markey			

Walter Johnson pitcher of the Washington American League baseball team, died at the family home here yesterday.

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Secretary of Treasury Clearing Up Chaos of War by
Hard Labor.

BY HOLLAND.
Exclusive to THE TRIBUNE.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Occasional reports have reached New York suggesting that the secretary was exactly comfortable in his office, since he has been brought for the first time in his life to a highly influential a part in the political places in national legislation. Occasionally intimations have been heard in New York that the secretary of the resignation of his office. The association with him and the

One of those who are of the President's administrative family said that the public will never understand recently that it will never know how chaotic it was until it is found to be when new administration takes over. This was not said in criticism of the condition of President Wilson. The condition of the world was so to the aftermath of the worst war in time it seemed almost thoughtless to try to bring order out of confusion. See Berry Moller. It was said found by the Treasury Department that the conditions were as no record of the treasury was compiled to find out why it was created by the Treasury Department.

AFTERMATH OF WAR.

The government did at the close of the war.

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ELSTON'S BODY,
ESCORT ARRIVE
ON WEDNESDAYFuneral of Congressman to Be
Held at St. Mark's Church,
Berkeley.

The body of Congressman J. Arthur Elston, who died at the University station of the Southern Pacific, will be escorted by the Elston family and a number of friends to the Berkeley station on Wednesday morning.

From the station the body will be removed to the funeral home of the William Ward company at 2201 Bancroft way.

The funeral services will be held at St. Mark's Episcopal church, Bancroft way and Ellsworth street, at 2:30 o'clock next Wednesday afternoon. The services will be conducted by Bishop Edwin Lamb, assisted by the rector, the Rev. W. R. H. Hodgkin.

Interment will be private. Further details in connection with the funeral will be made public later. It was said.

ALAMEDA, Dec. 19. — City Manager C. E. Hickok received a copy of the official report on the Pacific coast naval base sites from Congressman Arthur Elston this morning. A few days ago he received a letter telling of the sending of the report. The letter was written by Elston on December 8, and the report, according to Hickok, must have been sent almost at once of Elston's last services to Alameda.

County Exceeds Its Quota
In Christmas Seal Sales

I shall Christmas Seal my Christmas mail and thus continue my support of the fight against tuberculosis.

CHARLES EVANS HUGHES, secretary of state, is marking his holiday mail with Christmas Seals bought from Miss Olga Helms, who is helping in the fight against tuberculosis.—Underwood & Underwood Photo.

More Than \$150,000 Taken in During Past Two Weeks
to Help in Campaign Against Tuberculosis

Christmas seal sales in Alameda county have brought into the treasury of the Society for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis a sum in excess of \$150,000, the quota set two weeks ago when the annual campaign was launched. All booths except that in the Postoffice which will offer the stickers for sale through the week were closed on Saturday night. Twenty-five tables, presided over by society leaders and clubwomen, have been maintained throughout the business section during the past fortnight. The 1921 campaign is regarded as one of the most successful in the annals of the Alameda county society. The proceeds will be appropriated for health work.

Mrs. Mark Regan was general chairman for the Christmas Seal sale in Oakland. In Alameda Mrs. John Packer was assisted by a corps of prominent women. Berkeley was under the direction of Mrs. Frederick Albrecht. Frederick Kahn was in charge of all of Alameda county outside the three large cities.

APARTMENTS ROBBED. The apartments of Mrs. J. C. Cushman and Mrs. Lydia M. Van Buren of No. 1 Van Buren court, were ransacked by burglars yesterday, who gained entrance into the house by using a pass key. Clothing, silverware and jewelry valued at \$1000 were taken.

Slayer of Teacher Enters Guilty Plea. WALKON, Iowa, Dec. 19.—Earl Throst, confessed slayer of Inga Magnuson, a school teacher near Davenport, last Monday, pleaded guilty to a charge of first-degree murder before Judge Taylor in district court here this morning. He will be sentenced the latter part of the week.

ALAMEDA MASONS TO Install New Master. ALAMEDA, Dec. 19. — First Privileges will be inducted into office this evening as master of Woodstock lodge, F. and A. M. He is succeeding Past Master M. C. M.

Tomorrow evening Emil Bertelsen will be installed as master of Apollo lodge. He is succeeding Hugh McCoy. Both installations will be accompanied by special ceremonies and entertainments after the meeting. Alameda Commandery, Knights Templar, will hold their Christmas services Sunday morning. The church services will be followed by the annual Christmas breakfast at 8:30 o'clock.

WIVES, MOTHERS
FIGHT MEN FOLKS'
SCHOOL CHARGESWomen's Club Indorses Work
of Board, in the Face of
Severe Criticism.

The alarmist who foretold that under equal suffrage men still would dominate women in public affairs has been utterly confounded. For here comes the Women's Club, close upon the heels of the Glenview Improvement Club's criticism of the board of education, to indorse enthusiastically and unanimously the work of that body and to pledge support to its present policy. Wives, mothers and sisters of Glenview Improvement Club members make up the register of the Women's Club. Female leaders deny there is any intention of a "sex" war in their action but frankly claim the right to think and act for themselves, independent of any decision of the husbands of their households may have made.

WOMEN STUDY CASE. "When the Glenview Women's Club learned of the letter sent to the mayor by the Improvement Club, criticizing the board of education, its officers decided to find out the truth," Mrs. H. J. Platts, president, explains. "We invited Mrs. Edgar L. Ormsby, a member of the board, to speak before us. We were interested in the facts which she presented. It has been agreed among the women that when we find public officers performing efficient service we shall make acknowledgment. We endorse the work of the present board of education."

The following letter was received by the board of education at today's meeting from the clubwomen: At a regular meeting held on Thursday afternoon, December 14, the Glenview Women's Club unanimously endorsed the splendid work being accomplished by your honorable body.

We are particularly pleased with the saving effected in the various departments and the business-like manner in which you are using the public funds to accomplish the objects good to the Public Schools of Oakland.

"WE HEARTILY COMMEND." We heartily commend you for your splendid public service and encourage you as you deserve. Sincerely, MRS. H. J. PLATTS, President.

MRS. A. T. MacDONALD, Secretary. Charges of politics and undignified conduct on the part of the board of education, and statements that some of the officials were "pet-squatted" almost by force to attend to their duties were made in the letter sent early in the month from Glenview Improvement Club to Mayor John L. Davis. Assurances were made to the mayor and commissioners to take action or face the alternative of having the matter taken up with various improvement and civic organizations.

Specific charges were requested by the secretary of the board of education following receipt of the Glenview Improvement Club letter which was referred to that body by the city council.

Turkey Prices
High, Going
Still Higher

If you gratify that turkey taste Christmas it's going to cost you as high as 65 cents a pound, judging from wholesale prices today. The retailer was being quoted both here and in San Francisco 52 cents by the commission men for young chickens and he was being told that the "market" was possibly going to be firmer, which is another way of saying that the price was likely to go higher.

There are few retailers that will handle the birds on a margin of less than 6 cents and the majority make it 7 and more. Here then reached and the post of the demand still three or four days off. The commission men blame it on Los Angeles. The southern buyers have been cleaning up the stuff around Corning, Visalia, Lincoln and other points in the northern part of the Sacramento valley the last week at from 45 to 49 cents a pound to the grower.

Again a factor that usually operates to keep prices down at Christmas is absent this year and that is the shipment of birds from Texas and Oklahoma. Growers in these states are selling 23 cents a pound had down here from bay buyers, which is fully 3 cents above any quotation yet reported for the very choicest home grown product. Chicago and the railroads west are offering today higher prices for turkeys than coast markets and the prairie grown fowl are going this way.

Anyhow there are going to be plenty of other varieties of poultry to eat at less money. Choice corn fed geese from Minnesota and Nebraska, chickens from Nebraska, and poultry geese and ducks of all kinds from California will be quoted below turkey.

Oakland Has Flock
Of Houses for Sale

The City of Oakland has gone into the real estate business. This was announced today by City Attorney Leon E. Gray, who also remarked that the City of Oakland is going to get out of the real estate business.

Because of the verdict in the Seventeenth street opening cases, says Gray, "the city is now the more or less proud and happy possessor of the Walker building on Broadway, three old houses on Franklin street, two old houses on Webster and two apartments on Harrison. We do not want them."

"Offers have already been made to some of the houses by persons who wish to move 'em around to some other location. We will not allow it. The city is going to have those houses wrecked as quickly as possible."

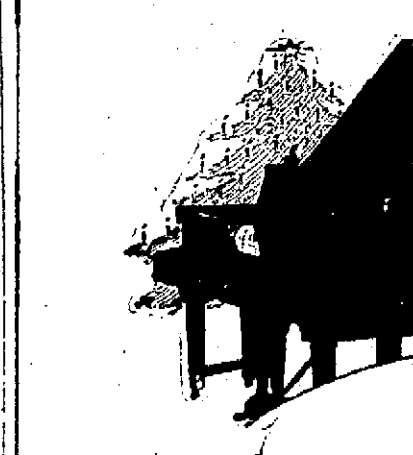
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Phone Lakeside 1175—Dr. CohnWill Hays to Become
Motion Picture Chief

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Postmaster General Will Hays has decided to accept the offer to become virtual head of the motion picture industry in the United States, according to a proclamation of a Republican politician here today. He stated that Hays had agreed to accept the leadership of the reorganized Association of Motion Picture Industry at \$100,000 a year for two and a half years.

Statements that Hays had accepted were partly confirmed in motion picture circles here, but Hays' office maintained a strict silence regarding them. Hays is now said to be "resting up" at some health resort.



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TO COOPERATE IN
NEW DRILL ORDERCommissioner Colbourn Asks
Aid of All Members in
Disciplinary Plan.

A plea for the co-operation of the entire Oakland police force in the new disciplinary routine to begin January 1 was issued today by Commissioner Frank Colbourn, who asserts that "the success of the project, in the last analysis, is up to the individual men themselves."

"I wish to see Oakland with the best police force on the coast if not in the country," he says. "Military drill, with its consequent stiffening of discipline, may seem onerous to many men on our force, but I am sure that the vast majority of Oakland's policemen, the honest and dependable 95 per cent, are as eager as I am to have the department lifted out of the slump of the past few years and made into a well drilled, efficient and thoroughly self-respecting organization. For that reason I am asking our men to do their utmost and co-operate with the army and police officials."

Major William McCaughey, who will be inspector of drill, announces that the program will be tentatively worked out this week. The following are some of the points already decided.

The men will drill in uniform. The men will drill in city time and not their own, as the city gets the ultimate benefit. The drill will be under United States army regulations and not police drill regulations.

Pickpockets Get
Waller With \$30

Herman Kats reported to the police that his pocket was picked while he was in the downtown district yesterday afternoon. His wallet containing \$30 in currency and a check-book was taken. Kats resides at 391 Irving street.

Mrs. John Keals, 1543 Ashby avenue, reported that she lost her purse near the corner of Fifteenth street and San Pablo avenue. It contained \$20 in currency, a \$10 check and three bank books.

Christmas Dinner
Planned for 'Newsies'

Roast turkey, dressing, cranberry sauce, celery, mashed potatoes, string beans, hot mince pie, bread and butter, ice cream, nuts, candy, oranges, apples and incidentals. This is the menu arranged by local business men for the annual Christmas dinner of the Oakland newsboys at the Leighton Cafeteria next Sunday at noon.

J. H. Lessor of the Washington market, has donated the turkeys and Edward Varney of Peters & Varney, wholesale produce merchants, has given the newsboys a free hand to select from his stock. The sweetmeats will be furnished by the candy department of Leighton's market in San Francisco, and the dinner will be prepared here.

Board Will Consider
New School Buildings

The board of education tonight, as a result of a recent meeting at the construction department headquarters, will consider what to do with some \$1,640,000 now available from the sale of school bonds for constructing new schools.

Many plans have been advanced. Among them, it is admitted, is a plan for the counting of Marston Campbell, present head of the construction department, which has been under discussion for some time. In some quarters this is admitted, and in other quarters it is denied. Another topic for the board of education tonight will be the proposed acceptance of several completed buildings, which the contractors say are ready for occupancy.

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